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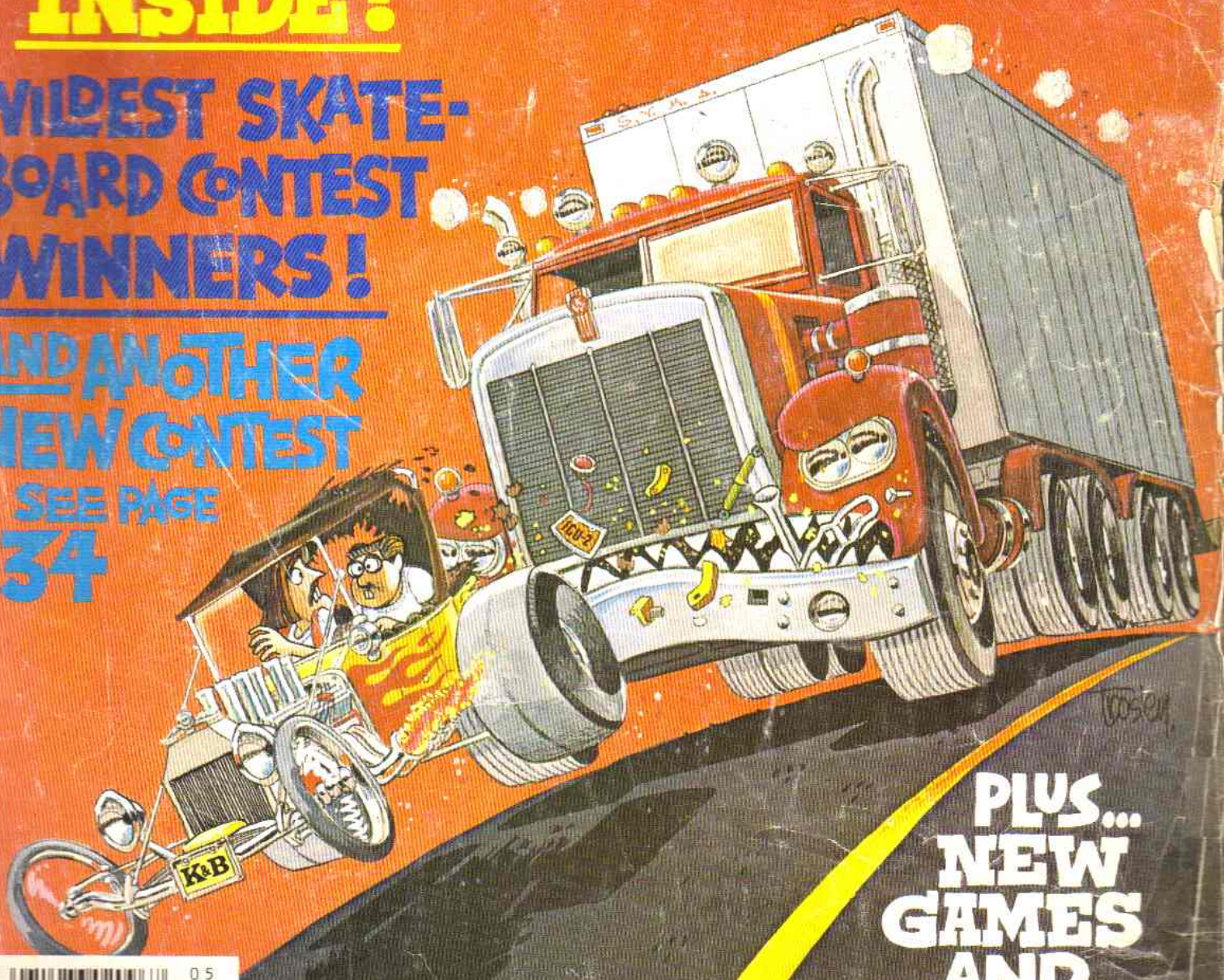

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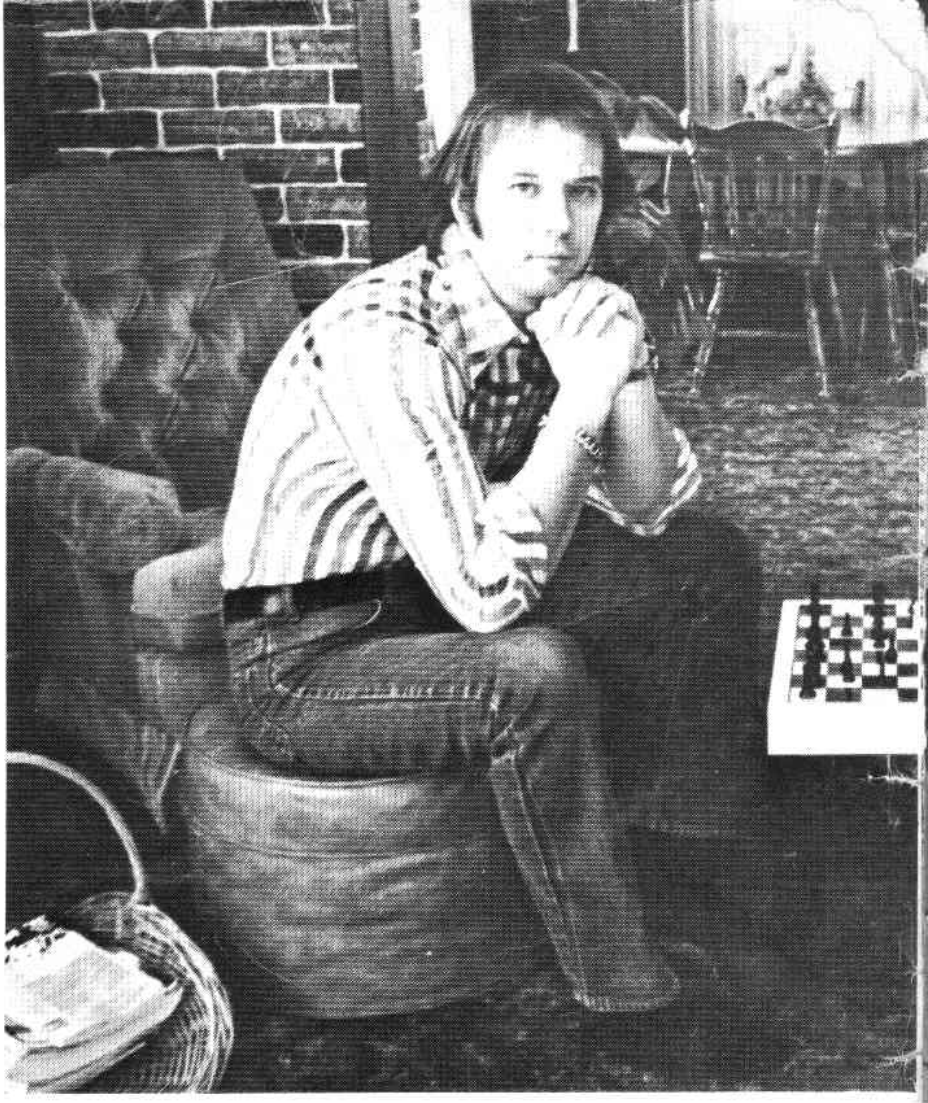

As far back as I can remember I've been interested in art, especially the art of cartooning. In the early Fifties, when I was five or six, my Father and I would have contests to see who could draw "Dagwood" better. Our dueling pencils almost convinced me to switch to photography. But as my school days slid by I got a little better at drawing and by the eighth grade had made up my mind to be either an artist or a meat cutter. High school art classes had me flailing valiantly away with brush and pen with little notice until my Junior year when my art teacher said to me, as I was flying a small, homemade kite from the third-floor art room window of Central High, "Plesko, if you weren't such a clown, you might be a good artist." From that high point my art career went steadily down hill.

I inconspicuously entered college in 1966 and learned at once to maintain a very low profile. This tactic proved to be invaluable because I was never missed when important things, like sleeping, prompted me to cut class.

I met my wife, Susie, in 1967 while I was working as a drummer in a Rock and Roll band (that's another story) and we were married a year later.

We soon moved from Northern Wisconsin to West Palm Beach, Florida, where I got my first shot at real cartooning. It was on a weekly newspaper called "The Reporter" where along with paste-up work, swamping, and delivering (I don't do windows), I got to draw the editorial cartoon. This job led absolutely no where and within a year we were back in Wisconsin with plans to go west. On January 15, 1 70 we left for L.A. It was 35 degrees below zero.

In California we got back into college and eventually earned our Master's Degrees. I then thought about teaching . . . for almost 30 seconds but promptly came to my senses and decided to go to New York and peddle cartoons instead. Our success in New York was limited, so we again headed west where I worked for 1 year as cartoon editor of a major magazine and, incidentally, met Dennis Ellefson (who makes all this possible).

I've always considered myself a cartoonist (contrary to the opinion of many editors), but have, through the years, labored as a deck hand, designed ads, polished spokes on Cragar mags, bussed tables, worked the docks and played drums to keep pen and ink—not to mention, body and soul—together.

hBut now, Susie and I spend our summers in Wisconsin, and in October hook up our custom van to our travel trailer and head for warmer climes to write, cartoon and clown around.

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To All You Freaks Who Work for CARtoons: I've got to start by saying your mag is out of this world! I first spotted your mag in late '75 and I haven't missed an issue yet. One thing I'd like to see are more Mustangs ('64-70) and Torino Cobras ('70-71). Now, in your Fall '78 issue there is a letter from a guy named Dan Collis of Ruskin, Florida. He said that "Ford wouldn't even do the centerfold of MAD." Well, well, let me tell you, Dave, that I'm 20 years old and a very good mechanic and I've been in drag racing for two years now and I always have raced a Ford (the best)... a Mach I to be exact, with a 429 Super Cobra Jet that I built up myself, and on the track not even ONE Chevy has gotten me yet. So Dan, if you have a mod. Chevy, I'm ready to go way down to Florida just to prove to you who's King. By the way, my Ford hits a constant 9.086 at 167 time and I don't think there's a Chevy who can do it without Cracking Up in Pieces. The last thing I want to say is I'd rather eat worms than drive a Chevy, and Dan, I've got to admit that there's only one 'Vette from Chevy that I like, and it's also the best 'Vette they've ever made—and it's a CHEVETTE.

Jimmy Paige
Taval, Canada

—I believe Bugs Bunny says, "You do understand, this means WAR." Right? Keep us posted, fellas.

Hi! I always read It's Your 15 Cents because I like to see what other people think of your magazine. I wish you would make more CARtoons books a year. If you would, I would like it very much. I would also like very much to know which months to look for your magazine. I noticed at the bottom of the contents page it tells how many times it is published a year, but not what months. I have never seen your magazine until I moved to Florida. That's when I bought my first one. But the magazines I've read I found very, very interesting. Even my three sisters enjoy reading your magazine. Well, that's all for now. Bye!

Scott Murdock
Ormond Beach, Florida

—Hmmmm! A Magazine for Four Siblings! How great! Regards to you and your sisters!

Dear QI or IQ... Well, whatever it is, Hi! I really love your mag. But I wish you would have a "Draw the Wildest Van" contest. Please pay attention to this letter, and print it. PLEASE!!!?????

Steve Jacob (11)
Charleston, Illinois

—Thou art printed.

Rowwwrrr! Hey, you squid flakes! This is Cougar Ketchel zoomin' in from the prairie flatlands in Illinois! 'Round here ya see enough Jeeps ta make you a street creep! But I ain't much fer off-road, I'm more for street racin'! Like I like Firebirds, 'specially Trans Ams and Formulas. In case you haven't noticed yet, I'm a girl, which may seem strange to you peabrains, but I am. I just got your Winter '78 ish and I gots a big complaint. WHY DIDN'T YOU HAVE ANY SHAWN KERRI IN THERE. I think Kerri is KING (er, Queen).

Cougar Ketchel
Oswego, Illinois

—We can't force our cartoonists to cartoon, you know.

Hey! I've been reading CARtoons for 12 years now! I'm 20, and don't think I'll ever outgrow reading the best (and only) illustrated wheels magazine around. I can't express how much I miss (sob, sob) Cycletoons. That was truly a good bike rag. Well, I've enjoyed CARtoons for 12 years now, and I'll enjoy it for at least 80 more! One request, before I sign off, how 'bout some Harley Low riders and Willys Jeeps. Harley an' Willys fer ever!

"Short Cake"
Sparks, Nevada

PS. Is there anyway I can get some old Cycletoons?

—Well, we are pleased to count you among the faithful. As for old Cycletoons, the best I could suggest would be a used comic book or magazine dealer.

I figured you needed a break from work . . . not that I want you to slack up from the excellent stuff you do. How about a few Trans Ams? I have a '74 with a 455 but if I don't see some in the mag, I'm going to trade it in on a Moped and hire a hit man to come get ya. Keep up the good work, and may that junk man in the sky bless your push rods.

Merl Wolff
Orlando, Florida

—If you go to the Moped, go all the way: get roller skates.

I've been reading your mag for a year now, and I think it's great. I like all your cars but why don't you put more rigs and cycles in your mag?

Jerry Barr
Vanderhoff, British Columbia, Canada

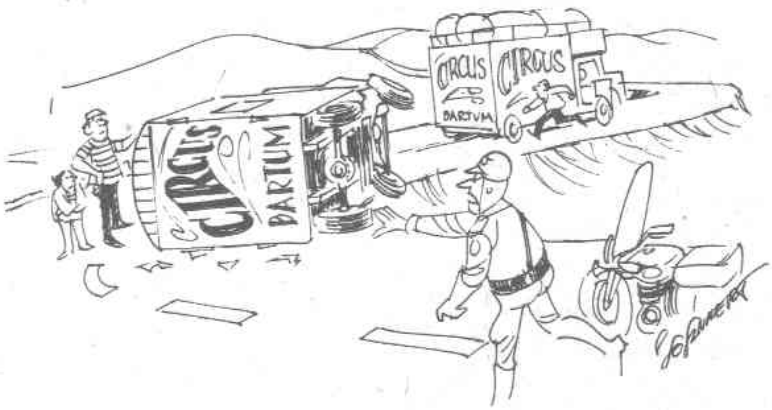
—One vote for cycles and rigs, Right-O!

I just wanted to tell you how great your mag is. (As if you didn't know.) I buy one every time I see one in the store. Krass and Bernie are great! Steve Austin is great too. And Shawn Kerri is really great . . . terrific, you know! And I loved what you had to say about that one jock that told Shawn to take a shower! I was disappointed to see you didn't have any of her work in the Winter issue. Let's see more! Oh—one more thing . . . are you going to have any more Vette-Vans or Van-Vettes or Corvans, whatever, contests because I have a pretty nice one whipped up if I do say so myself!

Sam Scheffer
Hamilton, Montana

—We'll have to see about that contest, Sam.

Hi! I just want to tell you guys you really put together a great mag. I've accumulated close to a dozen CARtoons since I started buying 'em in '76. Your new Bi-Monthly idea sounds great! I also want to let all you Chevy and Ford Jokers know that MOPAR is King of the Streets and the Strip! Let's see more MOPARS in the mag. OK? I think all the CARtoons artists are great. Shawn



"Alright, let's get this show *off* the road!"

Kerri's lookin' good too. What happened to CAR SPOTTERS, huh? WE DON'T HAVE TO TELL . . . is *fantastic!* Well, that's about it for now. Keep up the great work, guys (and Shawn too)!

Bruce "Hutch" Hutchinson
Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota

—You really know how to compliment a guy - . . . thanks.

I haven't been able to buy your mag because I haven't seen it around and I would like to know if you're still in business.

Michael Bryan

—Yes we are, but a man who can't find the mag and doesn't include a return address, is a hard man to answer about being still in biz!

I really like Krass and Bernie and I really like It's Your Fifteen Cents. I never have seen you in person, so I am sending you a letter. I am 8 years old.

Pat

—I've never seen you either, Pat, but I like you more every second. Thanks for the letter.

I've been reading your mag since '72 but I've never taken the time to write. Well, I just found time. First, I really like your mag and your artists, and their work is fantastic. In '76 I missed a few issues and when I finally found another issue in '77, I couldn't believe the changes you had made, not that I didn't like them. I mean, Krass and Bernie are great, as well as all of the other features, but what happened to the good old gang? Secondly, it seems to me that every other page in your mag has at least one van and/or truck drawing or cartoon on it. I know that vans and trucks are "in" and everything, but the title of your mag is CARtoons. I have a kind of far-fetched idea that other readers might like . . . how about offshoots of CARtoons: TRUCKERTOONS or something like that so CARtoons could contain cars. I also agree you should put some older Fords in your mag. Well, I don't want to take up any more of your letter department, so I'll stop here.

Victor Bomba
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

—We'll plant the idea and see if it grows.

Hi, I've bought your mag every time I see a new issue is out and I think it is terrific, but one small problem . . . I like Maseratis and I haven't seen a cartoon of one in CARtoons where the Maserati was the main theme. I'm also hung up on '68 Mustang GT's and I'd like to see more of them. Well, I gotta go now. Later!

Ken Smith
Butler, Pennsylvania

—Don't Maseratis bite? I know Mustangs kick . . .

I was just reading (about a week ago . . . Winter '78) and I think the work is the best in CARtoons and maybe that's why you're best. I would like to see more K and B. How about three per issue? Tell Terry Burtch he is a good artist along with Vernon Wright and Daniel Lynch . . . he's also in with all the others. I am taking guitar. I know it sounds silly, but I'm trying to become famous when I grow up. My favorite bands are Rolling Stones, ELO, and of course, The Who. Well, I just wanted to tell you how fine your mag is. S'all for now. Remember to take up guitar!

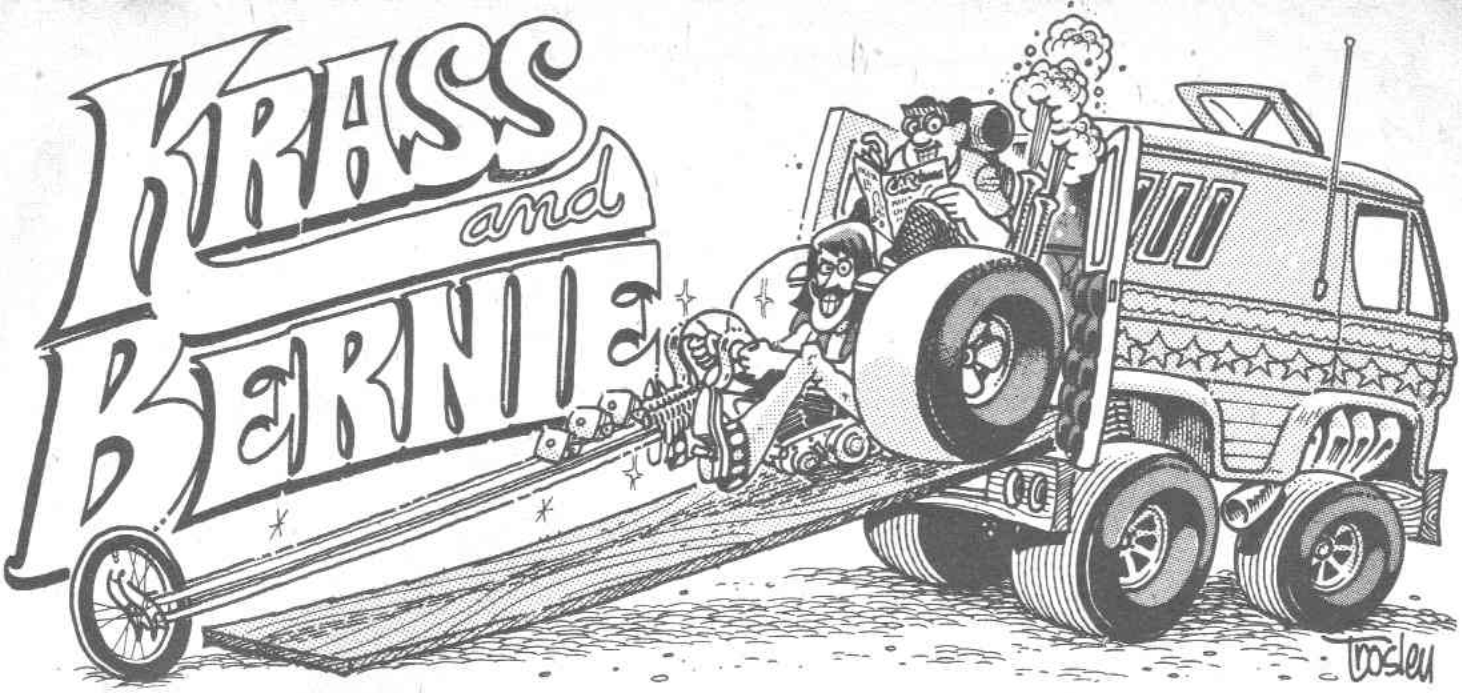
Phil Carroll
Detroit, Michigan

—You got our twirl of the ol' hit parade, Phil. Best of luck!

Hi. I really dig your mag. I only have two ishes and already I love it. I dig your Fall '78 ish mostly for the Touch of Class, and your Winter '78 ish is great too. I like the 'Vettes very much. I think you should have Trans Ams in your mag. I hope you publish my letter because I never wrote to CARtoons. See you all, and keep up the good work.

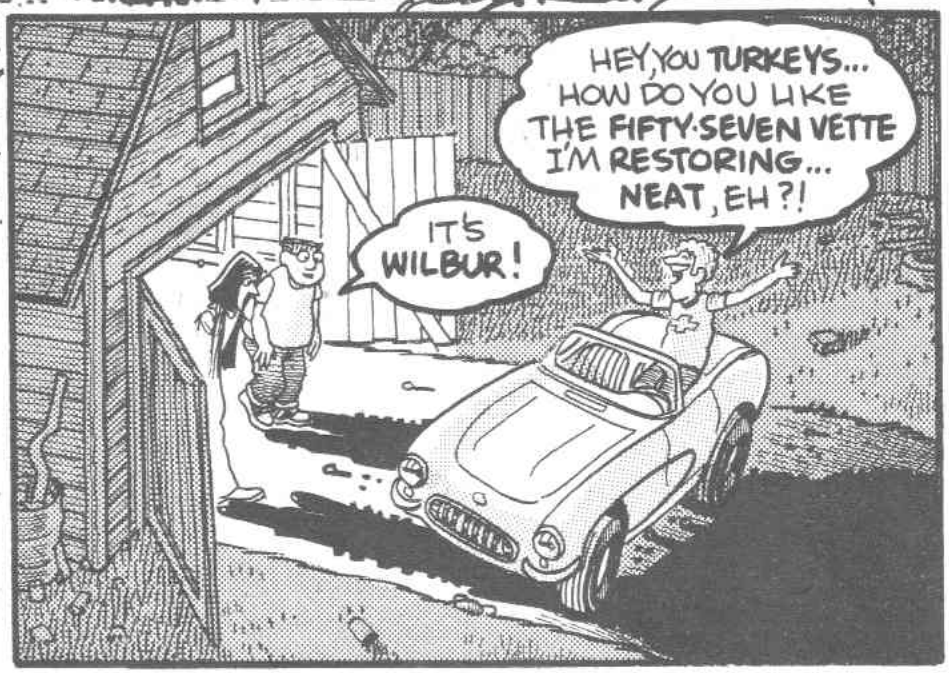
Lionel Carbajal
Salt Lake City, Utah

—Your hope is our pleasure.


KRASS and BERNIE
Crosley

YOU REALLY THINK WE CAN SAVE THIS RUSTED OUT PINTO?
SURE, KRASS... WHADDA' WE GOT TO LOSE? I GOT IT FOR NOTHING!

HEY... WHAT'S THAT OUTSIDE?
...SOUNDS DECENT!

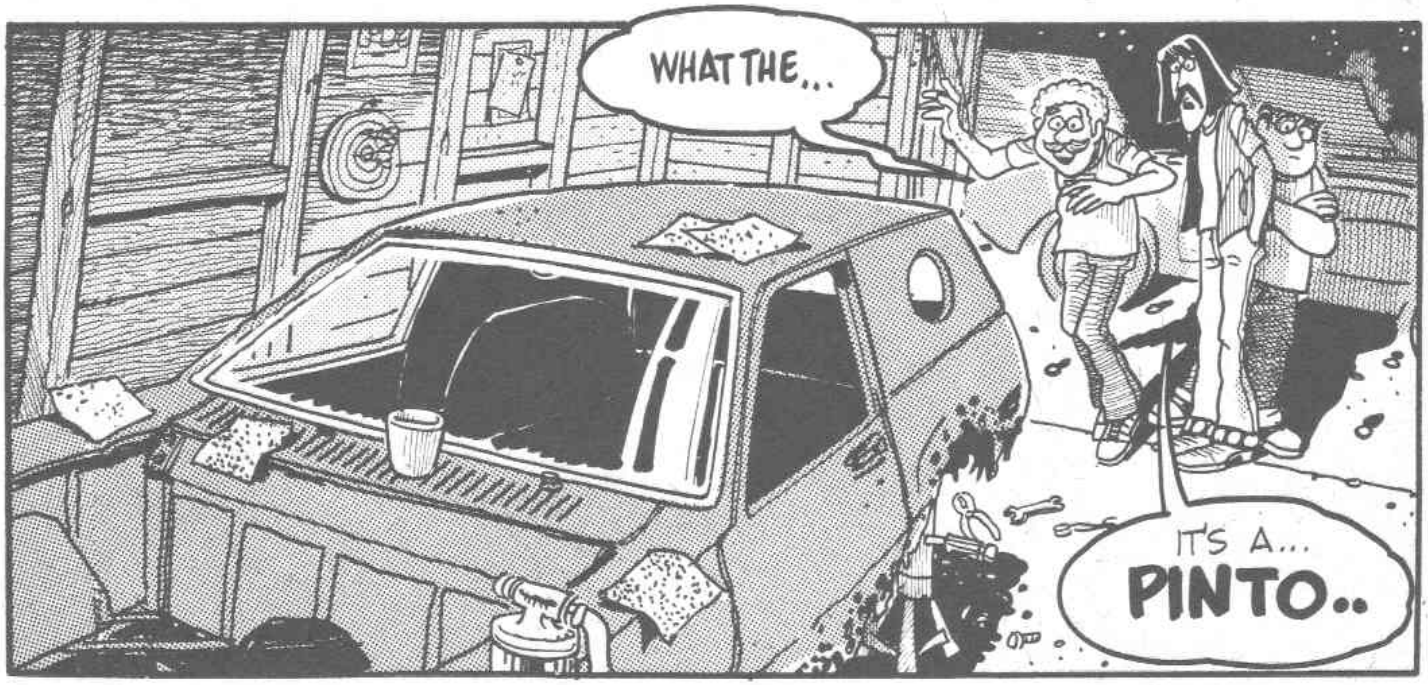

HEY, YOU TURKEYS... HOW DO YOU LIKE THE FIFTY-SEVEN VETTE I'M RESTORING... NEAT, EH?!
IT'S WILBUR!

ALL IT NEEDS NOW IS THE CHEAPO PAINT JOB...
WOW...IT'S ALLRIGHT!
YEA!

I'VE GOT EVERY BUCK I COULD BEG AND BORROW TIED UP IN THIS LIL' BABY BUT I WILL MAKE MYSELF A NICE FAT PROFIT!

I KNOW THIS RICH GUY WHO WANTS IT FOR HIS SON SO I'M GONNA' ZAP HIM GOOD FOR SIX GRAND!!
SIX GRAND! WOW!

'NUFF ABOUT ME... WHAT HAVE YOU TWO GREASE MONKEYS BEEN FOOLIN' WITH?
ERRR... AH...

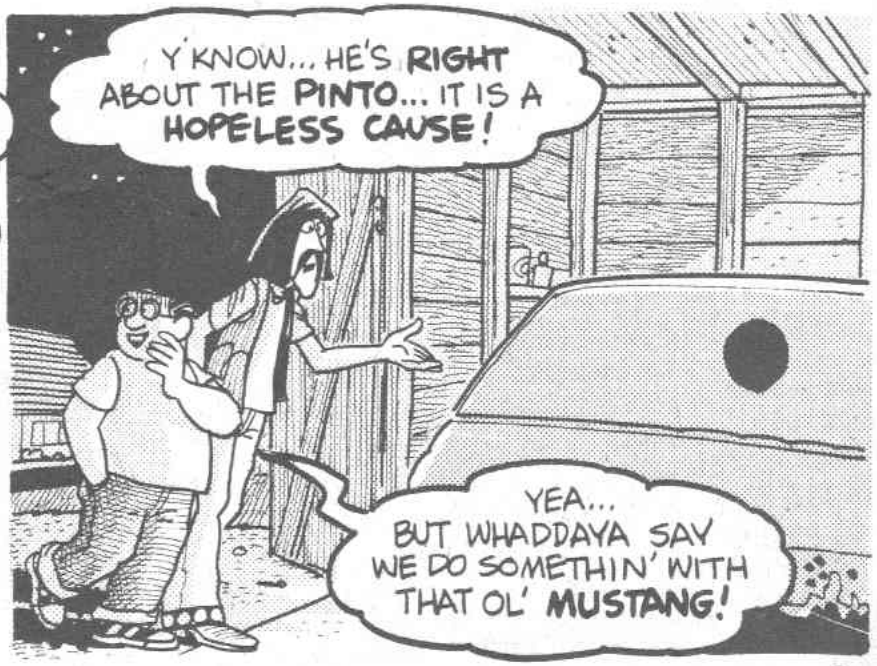

WHAT THE...
IT'S A... PINTO..

YOU MEAN IT WAS A PINTO... HAA HEE HOO HOO HEE HA HA
WE'RE RESTORING IT...

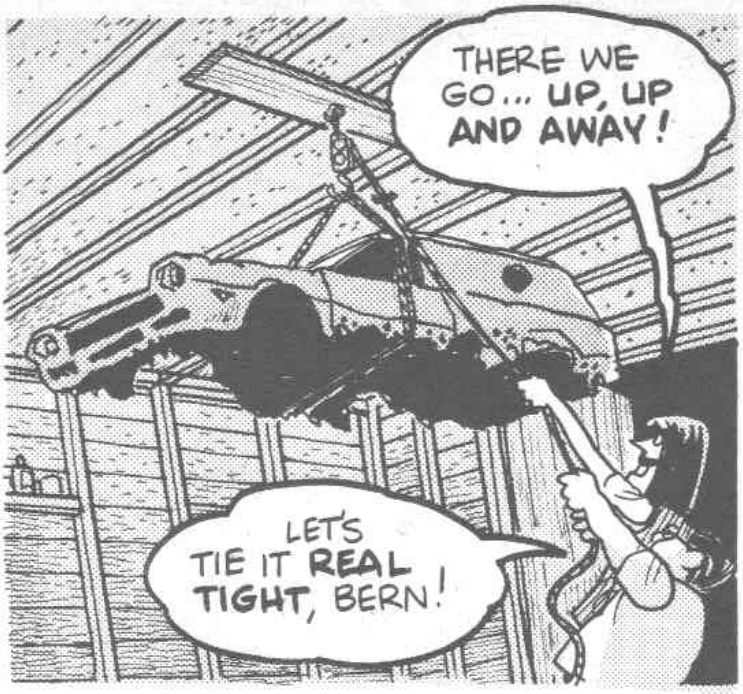
TO WHAT?! THEY'RE NOT WORTH ANYTHING NEW! AS USUAL... YOU TWO WEIRDOS ARE JUST WASTING YOUR TIME!!

WISE UP, FOOLS... PUT YOUR FEEBLE EFFORTS INTO RESTORING THAT MUSTANG! AT LEAST IT'S WORTH SOMETHING!

FIND SOMEBODY WHO WANTS IT AND CHARGE 'EM BIG BUCKS!
EVEN YOU TWO OUGHTA' BE ABLE TO HANDLE THAT!
YEA... SURE!


Y'KNOW... HE'S RIGHT ABOUT THE PINTO... IT IS A HOPELESS CAUSE!
YEA... BUT WHADDAYA SAY WE DO SOMETHIN' WITH THAT OL' MUSTANG!

FIRST WE'VE GOT TO MOVE THIS PINTO BODY...
UGGGHH! IT'S MUCH TOO HEAVY... WE'LL HAVE TO USE THE ROPE HOIST!

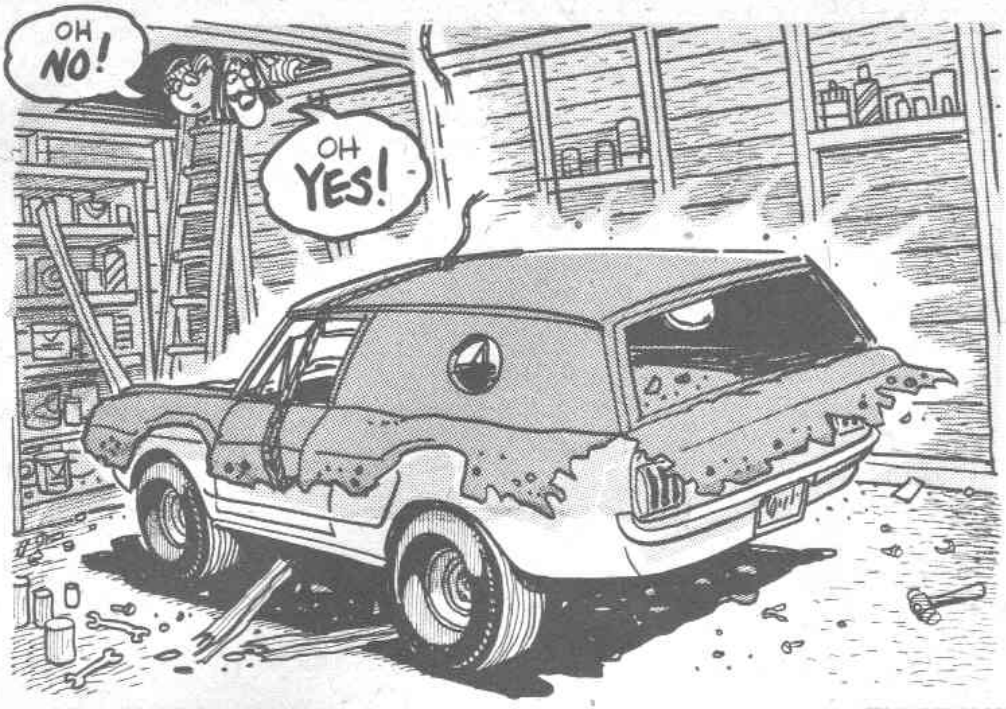

THERE WE GO... UP, UP AND AWAY!
LET'S TIE IT REAL TIGHT, BERN!

ERRR POP!
RUMP RUMP
RUMP!

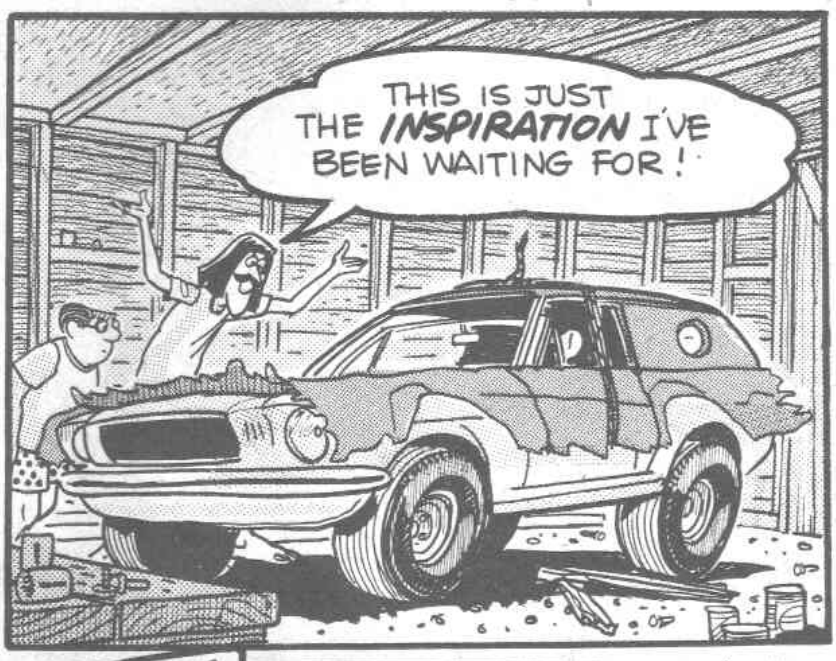
THAT OUGHT TO HOLD IT UP THERE REAL GOOD!
I DUNNO...

AN' MUCH LATER IN THE WEE WEE HOURS...
IT DOESN'T LOOK TOO SAFE TO ME...
OH C'MON MAN... IT'S TIME FOR CHARLIE'S ANGELS!

WHAT THE!?
WHUMP!


OH NO!
OH YES!

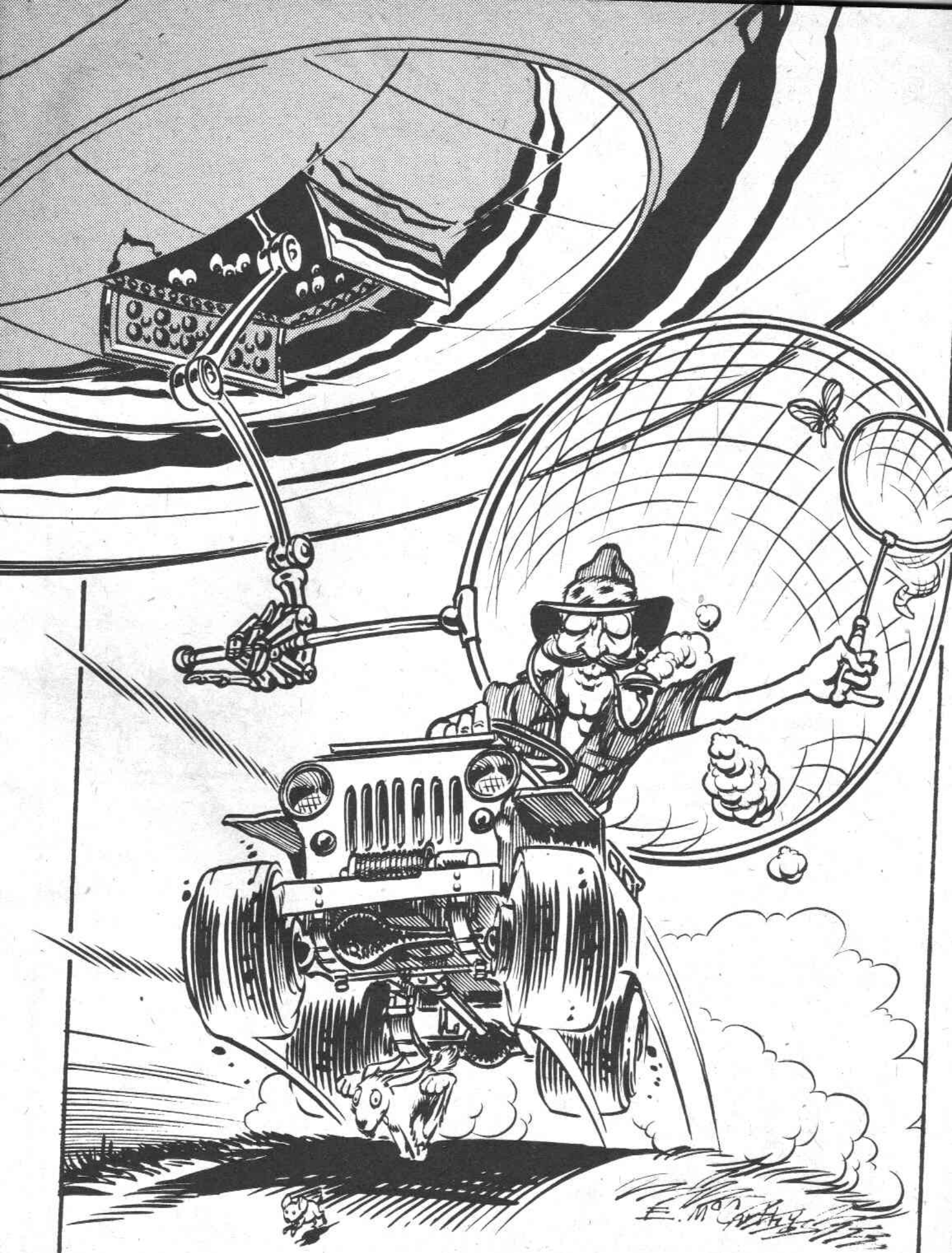
...AND YOU KNOW HOW THINGS LIKE THIS GIVE ME FAR-OUT CRAZY IDEAS TOO!!


THIS IS JUST THE INSPIRATION I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR!

...IF WE SAVE THIS AND RIP OUT THAT... WE COULD PUT THAT ON THERE...

A FEW DAYS LATER...
RUMP!
Stang Wagon
ALLRIGHT!! OUR STANG-WAGON IS TOO MUCH! LET'S GO SHOW IT TO WILBUR!

OVER THERE, KRASS, THAT'S HIS PLACE!
AWW WOW DAD... LOOKIT' THAT!!
Stang Wagon
RUMP
'AN I'M SURE YOUR SON WILL LOVE IT...
WILBUR! DIG ON OUR Stang Wagon
HEYY...
SCREEE
THAT'S WHAT I WANT, DAD... A STANGWAGON!
WELL GEE... WILL YOU BOYS ACCEPT THE SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS I WAS OFFERING FOR THE CORVETTE?
NO NO NO NO NO NO
SURE!
PLEASE!! YOU CAN'T DO THIS TO ME!! I'VE INVESTED ALOT OF MONEY TO RIP YOU OFF!!
THINK WE OUGHT TO ASK WILBUR FOR A RIDE?
NAH... LET'S WALK TO THE BANK...
END

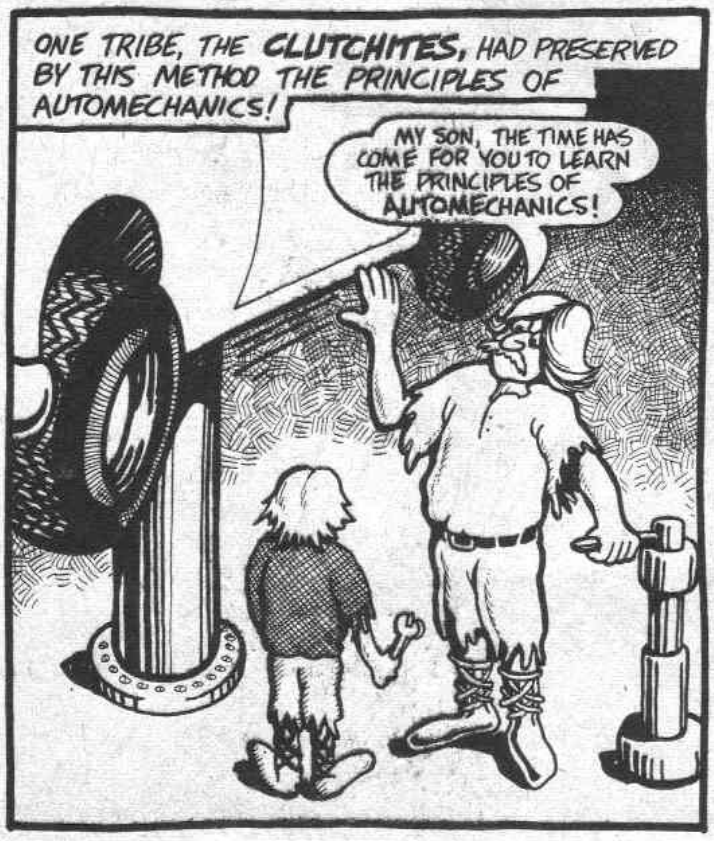


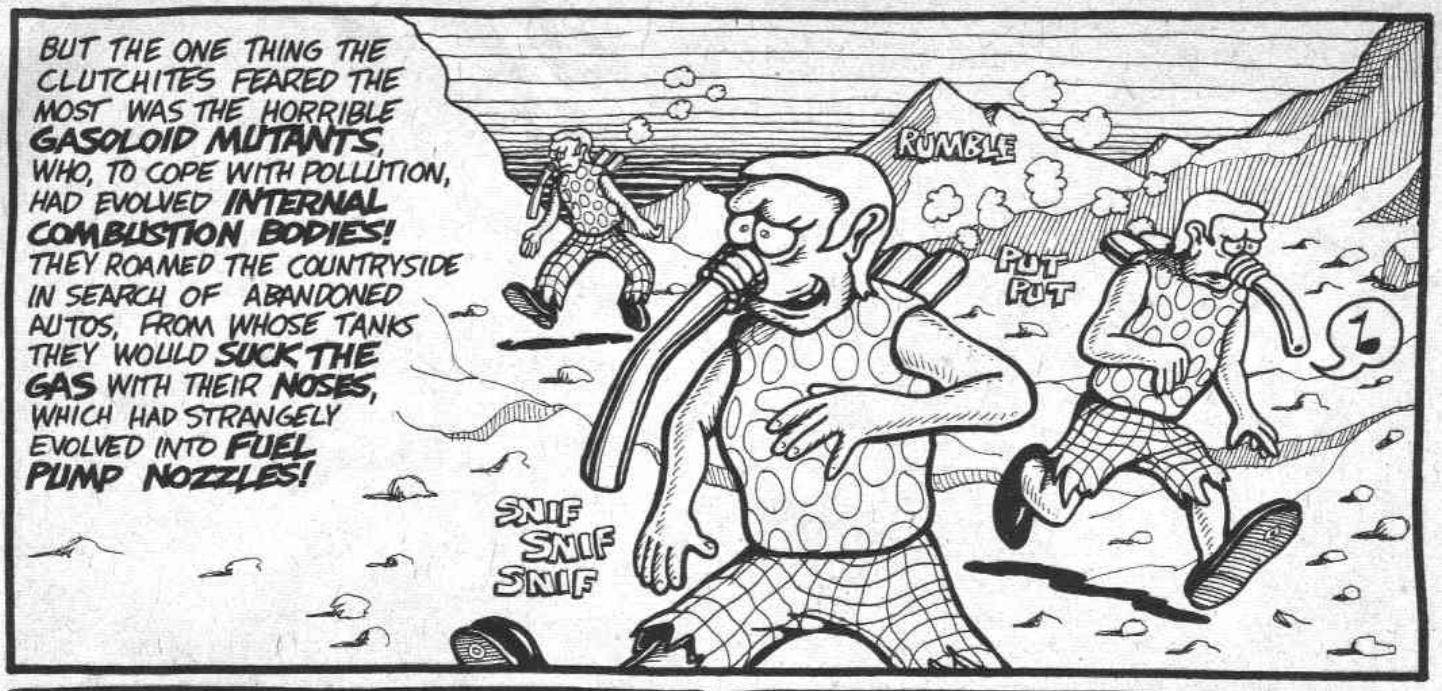
---and we don't have to tell you what happened next!

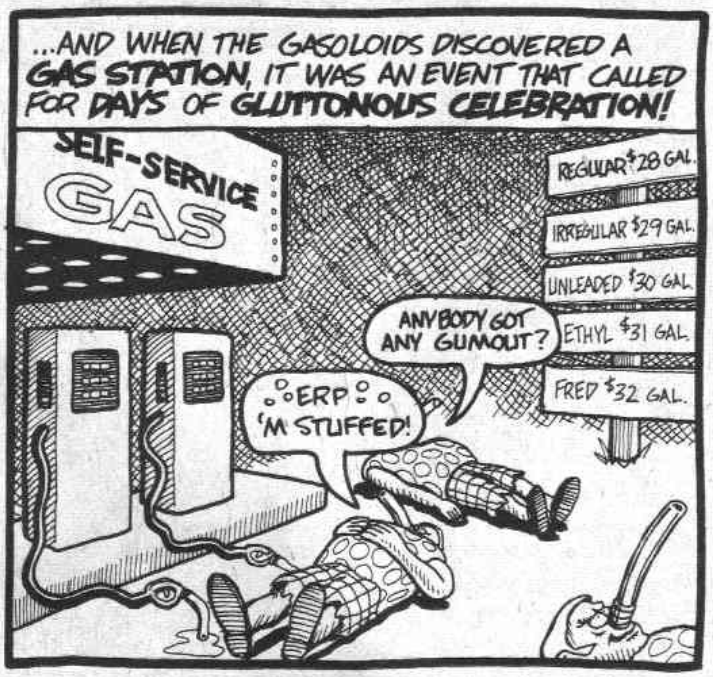
POST-CATACLYSM CARtoons

IN THE DARK CENTURIES FOLLOWING THE NUCLEAR HOLOCAUST WHICH DESTROYED CIVILIZATION AS WE KNOW IT, THERE WERE ONLY A FEW MISERABLE REMNANTS OF HUMANITY. THEY HAD REVERTED TO THE OLD WAYS; HAD FORMED THEMSELVES INTO TRIBES, BUT HAD DESIGNED THEIR RITUALS TO PRESERVE THE SEEDS OF TECHNOLOGY!

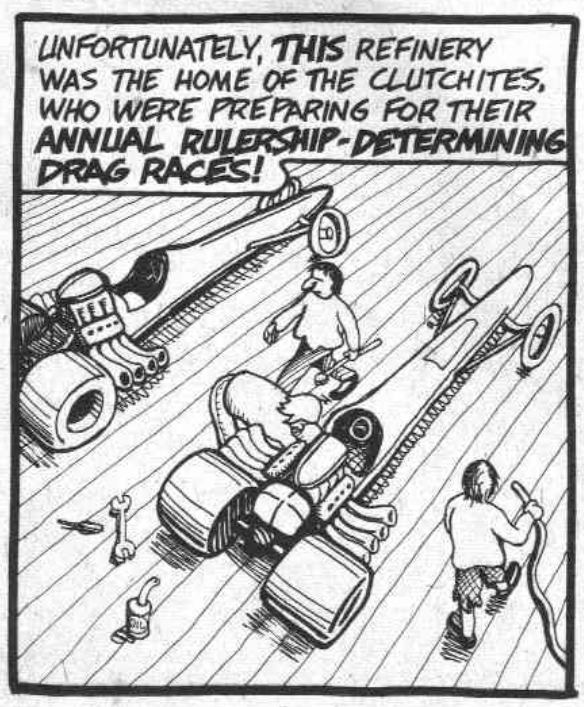
MONTE WOLVERTON




BUT THE ONE THING THE CLUTCHITES FEARED THE MOST WAS THE HORRIBLE GASOLOID MUTANTS, WHO, TO COPE WITH POLLUTION, HAD EVOLVED INTERNAL COMBUSTION BODIES! THEY ROAMED THE COUNTRYSIDE IN SEARCH OF ABANDONED AUTOS, FROM WHOSE TANKS THEY WOULD SUCK THE GAS WITH THEIR NOSES, WHICH HAD STRANGELY EVOLVED INTO FUEL PUMP NOZZLES!
RUMBLE
PUT PUT
SNIF SNIF SNIF


...AND WHEN THE GASOLOIDS DISCOVERED A GAS STATION, IT WAS AN EVENT THAT CALLED FOR DAYS OF GLUTTONOUS CELEBRATION!
SELF-SERVICE GAS
REGULAR $28 GAL.
IRREGULAR $29 GAL.
UNLEADED $30 GAL.
ETHYL $31 GAL.
FRED $32 GAL.
ANYBODY GOT ANY GUMOUT?
ERP 'M STUFFED!

...SO YOU CAN WELL IMAGINE HOW THEY REACTED TO THE SIGHT OF A REFINERY!
AWK! (FAINT)
BENIGN SWINE REFINERY

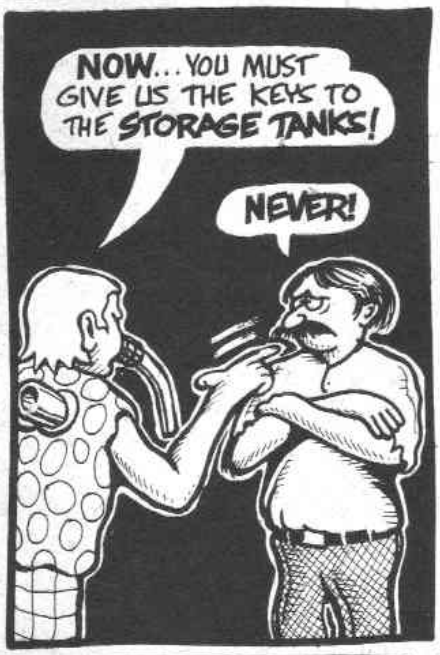

UNFORTUNATELY, THIS REFINERY WAS THE HOME OF THE CLUTCHITES, WHO WERE PREPARING FOR THEIR ANNUAL RULERSHIP-DETERMINING DRAG RACES!

... WHILE AT THE TOP OF THE HILL...
THE REFINERY ISN'T OPERATING, BUT THEY'VE GOT THOUSANDS OF GALLONS IN THOSE STORAGE TANKS!

... AND IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE ABOUT TO WASTE A LOT OF IT BY FEEDING IT TO THOSE SILLY DRAGSTERS!
OH NO!

WE MUST END THIS FOOLISHNESS HERE AND NOW!
STOP! STOP! STOP THIS DISGUSTING WASTE OF PERFECTLY GOOD FOOD!
PUT PUT PUT PUT
PUT PUT PUT
OH IKK! GASOLOIDS!

AH! FULL-BODIED, ROBUST... VINTAGE 1979, I'D SAY... A VERY GOOD YEAR!
PUT PUT
SLURP!


NOW... YOU MUST GIVE US THE KEYS TO THE STORAGE TANKS!
NEVER!

GIVE!
GIVE!
GIVE!
NEVER!
NEVER!
O.K., I GIVE UP. THE THIRD STORAGE TANK ON THE RIGHT..
THANKEW

LET'S SEE... THIS SHOULD BE THE ONE...
PUT PUT PUT
PUT PUT

CAUTION! FLAMMABL
NO FLAMMING ALLOWED
CLICK!

SLIPP!
WELL?

HMM.... THIS IS DIFFERENT.. VERY MELLOW... QUITE NICE, ACTUALLY... I'VE NEVER TASTED ANYTHING QUITE LIKE IT BEFORE!

YOU TASTE IT... SEE WHAT YOU THINK... I'LL GO TRY ANOTHER...
HEY! WATCH OUT FOR THE BANANA PEEL!
WOOPS!
SLIP
VLA-DA
BLOM
WHAT WAS THAT?
(TEE HEE) THE NITRO! I GAVE THEM THE KEY TO THE NITRO TANK!
WE'RE LEAVING! IT'S TOO DANGEROUS AROUND HERE!
HEY WAIT! YOU GUYS KNOW HOW TO DRILL FOR OIL AND RUN A REFINERY?
WHY... YES WE DO! THE KNOWLEDGE HAS BEEN HANDED DOWN THRU OUR CULTURE, BUT WE'VE NEVER USED IT!
GREAT! IF YOU'LL FIND CRUDE OIL AND OPERATE OUR REFINERY TO SUPPLY GAS FOR OUR CARS, YOU CAN LIVE HERE AND HAVE AN ENDLESS FOOD SUPPLY!
...SO THE REMAINING GASOLOIDS (WHO WEREN'T WIPED OUT IN THE NITRO EXPLOSION) STAYED AT THE REFINERY, AND THE TWO TRIBES COEXISTED SYMBIOTICALLY EVER AFTER!
END

SIDE SHOW

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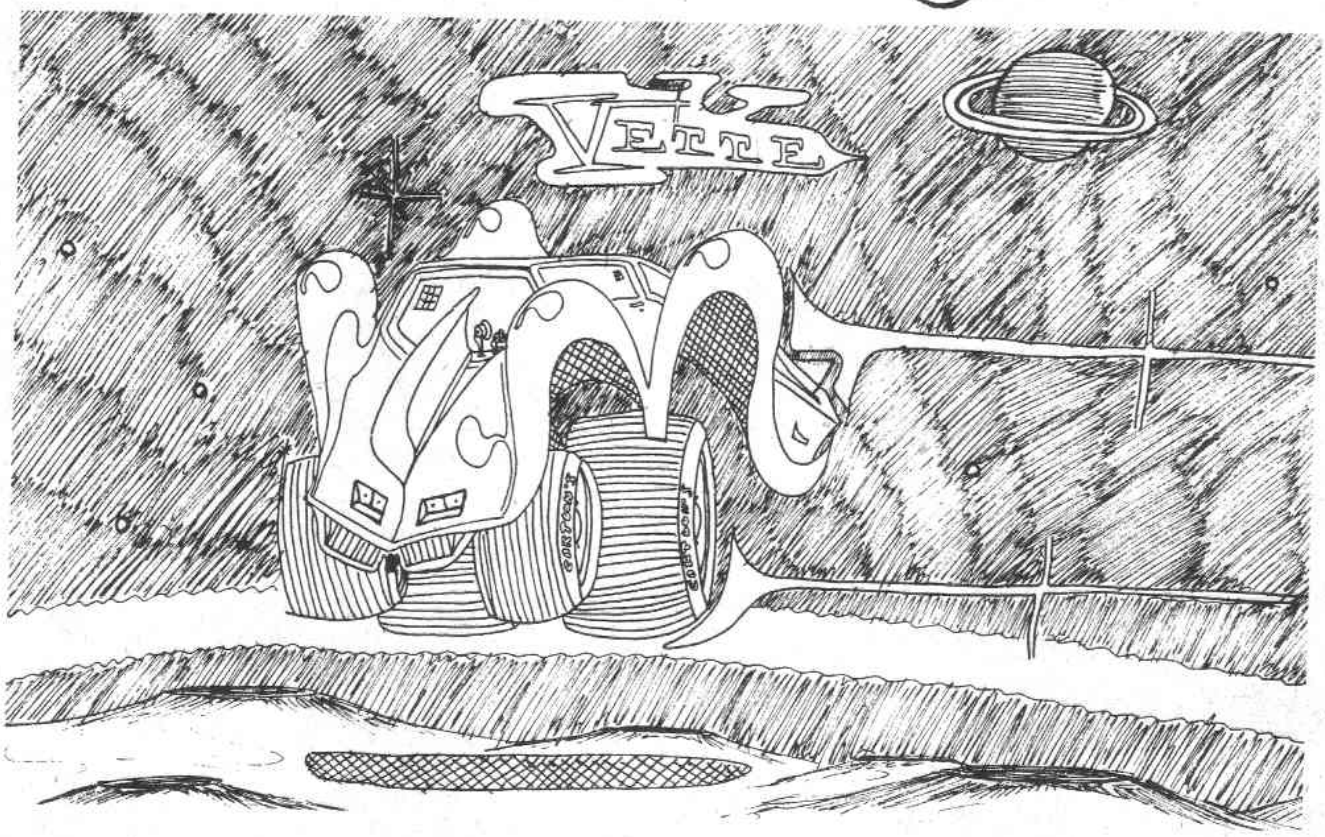

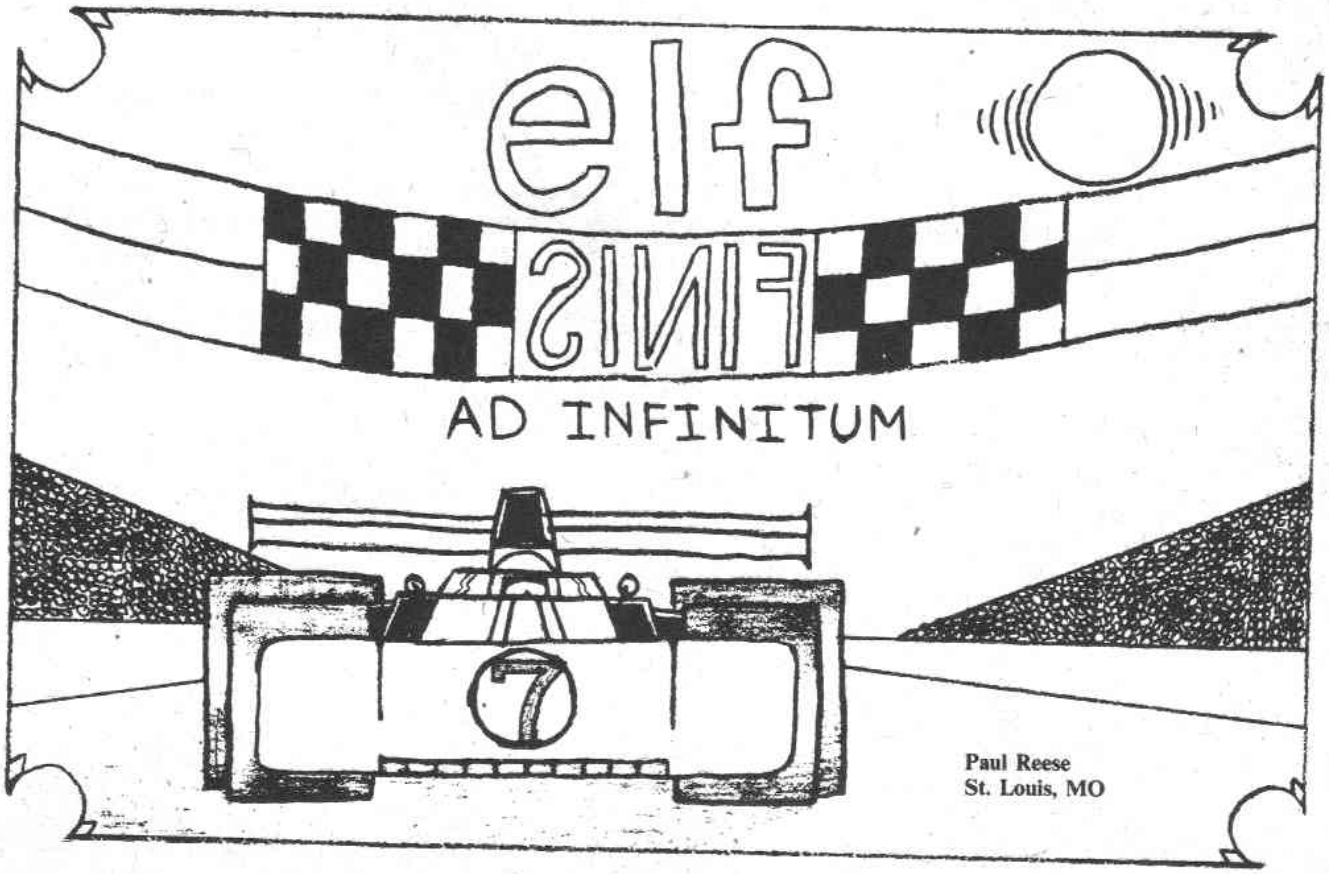

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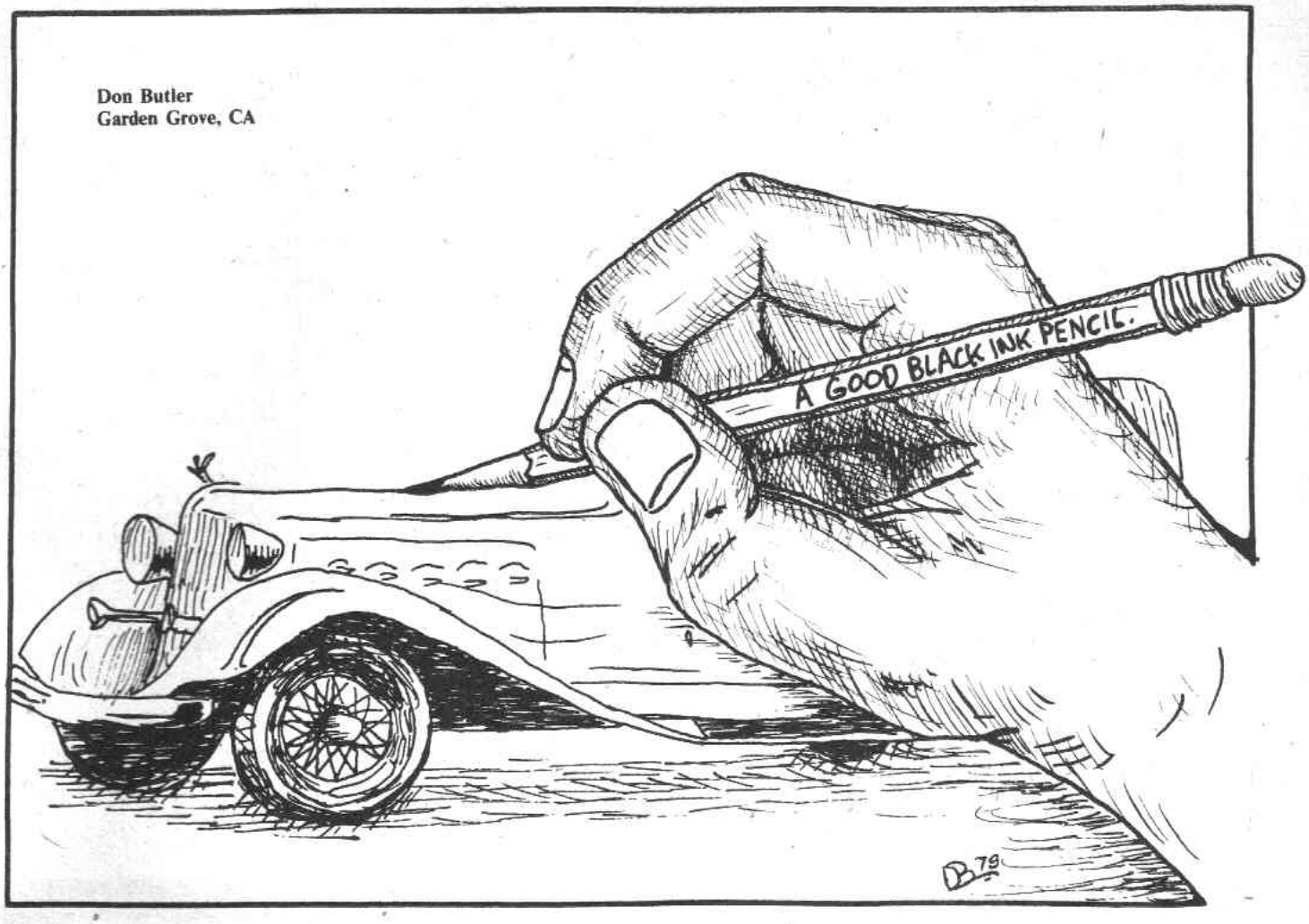


Eric Oberson
Falmouth, VA

If your memory serves you well, you'll recall that an issue or so back we ran one of those caption contests. We said that we'd have five winners. Welp, we had to revise that statement. Received so many that we decided to have seven (big deal, two more). But anyhow, here's the best of the captions we found in the many that came in. The winners will get absolutely NOTHING! All kidding aside, they will find soon in their little mailboxes a check from us to them for $10.00. Again, a big "Thanks" to all who took the time.

CAPTION CONTEST KILLERS

"Dad, can I borrow the house tonight?"

Tom Hansen
Walhalla, ND

"WHAT? You want to borrow my car?"

Dana Olson
Davenport Iowa

"Dad, I cleaned my bedroom, cleaned the living room, dented the fender on the car, watered the plants . . ."

Mary Garman
Kincaid, IL

"Dad, I'll trade you my Playboy magazine for that issue of CARtoons magazine."

Samuel Boggs
USS Shenandoah AD26

"Uh, Dad? Remember the automatic garage door? . . . It's not really automatic anymore. In fact . . . "

Iain Ross
Vancouver BC

"O.K., if you can't get Kiss to play at my birthday party, then how about a Mercedes?"

Lance Ransome
Alberta, Canada

"Gee, this is a great motor home."

George Crandell
Lompoc, CA

We will pay $25.00 for any art used by up coming, would-be cartooners. Submit to: Reader's Gallery 8490 Sunset Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90069

Saints Preserve Us!
IT'S
PERMANENT WAFFLES
PUP/O'BONKY
2 DEMENTED COPS WHO BREAK ALL THE RULES!
SLAUGHTER
RATED
MAY PERMANENTLY MUTILATE NERVES WHY NOT STAY AT HOME?
SURVIVES
HOMOCIDE
LT. JACKSON
KNOCK BEFORE ENTERING
HEY!
BONK
RECREATIONAL THERAPY SAID YOU WANTED TO SEE US, CHIEF...
WELL.... I HARDLY WANTED TO - THE THOUGHT OF YOU TWO MURDEROUS CRETINS ON DUTY AGAIN... OH, MAN.... THIS IS THE HARDEST DECISION I'VE EVER HAD TO MAKE...
OH... WAFFLES - DID YOU GET STRAIGHTENED OUT WITH PAYROLL?
HUH? UH... TEH...
I HOPE?
TO BUSINESS, THEN...
THIS
IS ROD "BUCK-BUCK" BLUNT, A LONGSHOREMAN FROM CHINO.. NINE MONTHS AGO ROD WAS BRAINED BY AN INDUSTRIAL TIN OF STEAK SAUCE.....
SOMETHING SNAPPED...
UPON AWAKENING IN THE HOSPITAL, HE EMBARKED UPON A RAMPAGE OF WANTON HOOLIGANISM!

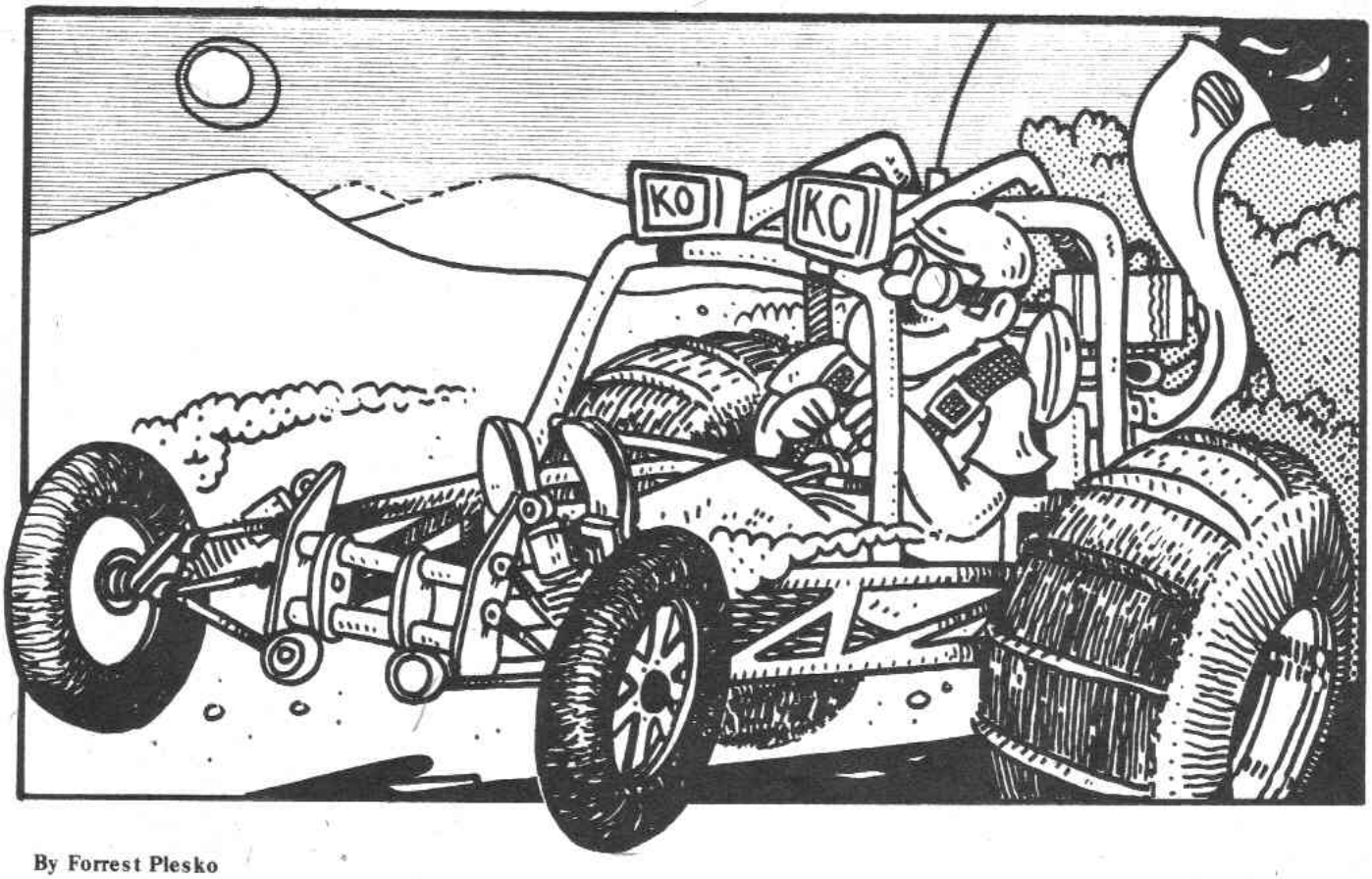
HE'S COMMITTED ACTS OF VIOLENCE AND DEPRAVITY THAT ARE HARD TO BELIEVE— YOU MAY HAVE SEEN HEADLINES...
World's Witness
WILDMAN POPS BLIMP - 24
NEWS SUBWAY
PLAYFUL MAN CAPSIZES SCOW
Sr. Times
Daily Dread
747 OPENED ON RUNWAY- ALL
I WANT YOU GUYS TO CATCH MR. BLUNT, OR BLOW HIM UP OR SOMETHING....
TO SMITHEREENS, CHIEF?
YEH, BUT... TRY TO BLOW UP ONLY MR. BLUNT.... NOBODY ELSE.. DON'T FIRE INTO A CROWD, OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT, OKAY?
SIGH.... WASTED BREATH...
OH, WELL... HE'S BEEN SPOTTED ON THE OLD GHOST HIGHWAY. YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO CATCH UP WITH HIM AROUND SIMIAN CASTLE.... DROP BY ARTILLERY— YOUR CAR IS IN GARAGE SIX.
WANTED
REMEMBER: ONLY BLOW UP MR. BLUNT.
GET GOING.
YEH, CHIEF!
SOLID. LET'S ROLL, WAFFLES!
OUR HEROES TAKE TO THE ROAD - THEIR MISSION - MAYHEM!
IS THIS GONNA BE FUN OR WHAT!?
YOU BET, PAL!
<cccHKH! M-80, COME IN, M-80!
THIS'S M-80...
UH, M-80, THE SUSPECT HAS BEEN UH SPOTTED AT NIPSY'S ROADSIDE CAFE...
THAT'S JUST UP THE ROAD!
HM!
THERE IT IS
NIPSY'S ROADSIDE Cafe
HE MUST BE INSIDE.....
STOP!
IN THESE HARROWING TIMES, THINGS LIKE GUNS AND SLAUGHTER ARE DEVOID OF VIRTUE AS PROPS FOR COMEDY. BUT DON'T WORRY— NOTHING SICKENING WILL OCCUR IN THIS COMIC!
BLUNT!
AND SO...

INSIDE THE CAFÉ...
COME ON OUT SO WE CAN BLOW YOU UP! HEY!
ROLLS
FIGHS
COPS!
GROAN...
UG
BLAM!
GUK
WUK!
BASH!
I'M LEAVING!
UH
GADS! A FRONT-WHEEL DRIVE REVERSE WHEELIE!
LET'S GO!
CREET!
I'M REALLY IRRITATED
SAME HERE, BROTHER!
YAHOO!
LURCH
POLICE
102556
FREEWAY
FWEEOOOEOEEEEEEEOE
CHURP!
POLICE
WHERE AM I?
EOEEEEEOOO
ROAR
THEY'RE GAININ'!
GRR!
GA
CRUNG!
WOO!
WE'RE GAININ'!
CURRASH!
WHY, THAT SNEAKY...!
STOP THE CAR!
WOO HOO!
POLICE
SCREETCH!

HE'S GONNA RAM US!
START THE CAR!
ARE YOU HURT?
NOT A BIT!
POLICE
CRUNCH!
WHY, YOU PUNK!
BONZAI!
SNAP!
AGA!
MR. BLUNT
I'M GONNA GIVE THIS GUY A PIECE OF MY MIND!
CAUGHT!
LOOK WHAT YOU'VE DONE!
I'M SO DARN MAD I COULD JUST
BOOM!
THE BITTER DRESS
HOMOCIDE
LT. JACKSON
RING! RING!
KNOCK BEFORE ENTERING
RING! RING
LT. JACKSON...
OH REALLY?
OK! THANKS! GOODBYE!
HELLO, JILL- THIS'S LT. JACKSON... WOULD YOU RING CORRECTIVE SURGERY FOR ME?
YEH.. I WANT TO CANCEL AN APPOINTMENT!
CLICK CLICK
THE END.
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK, FOLK.

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

In the drawings below there are twenty differences for you to find and circle. Answer on page 58



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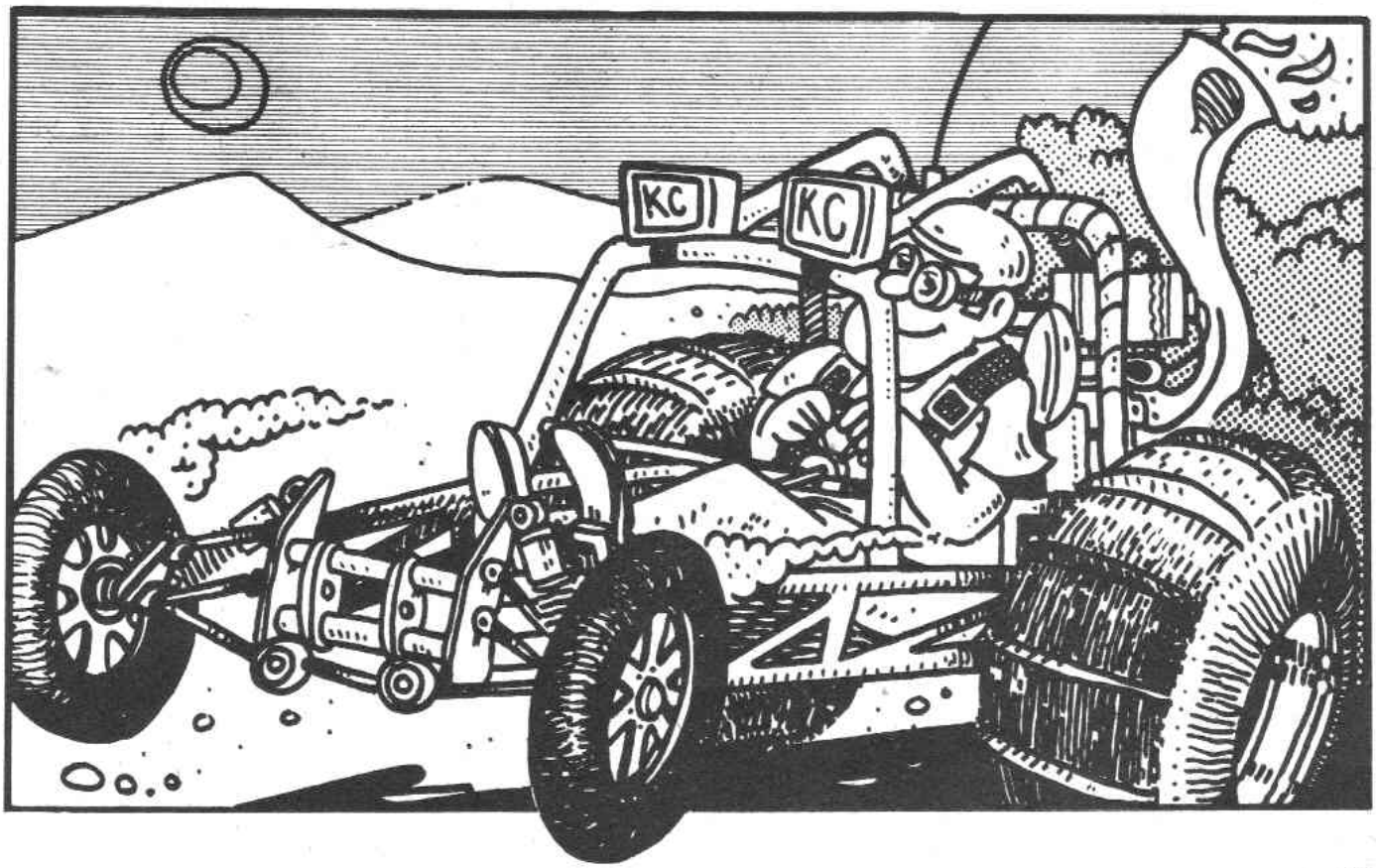
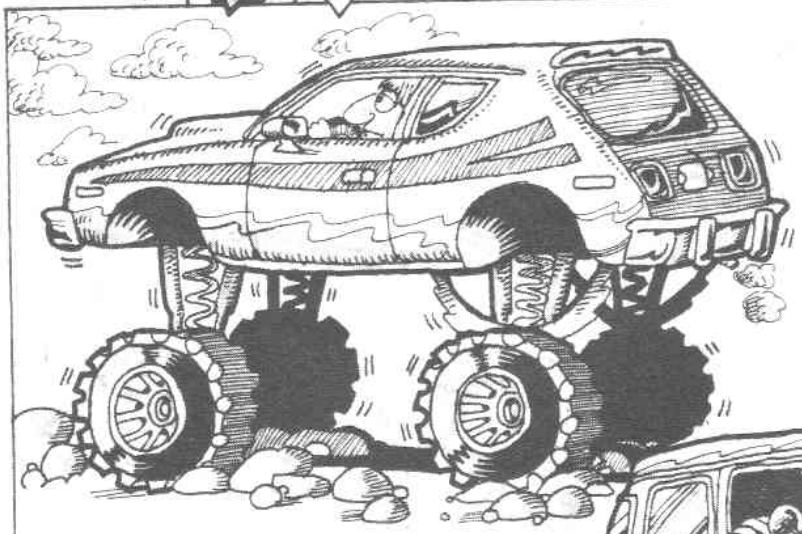


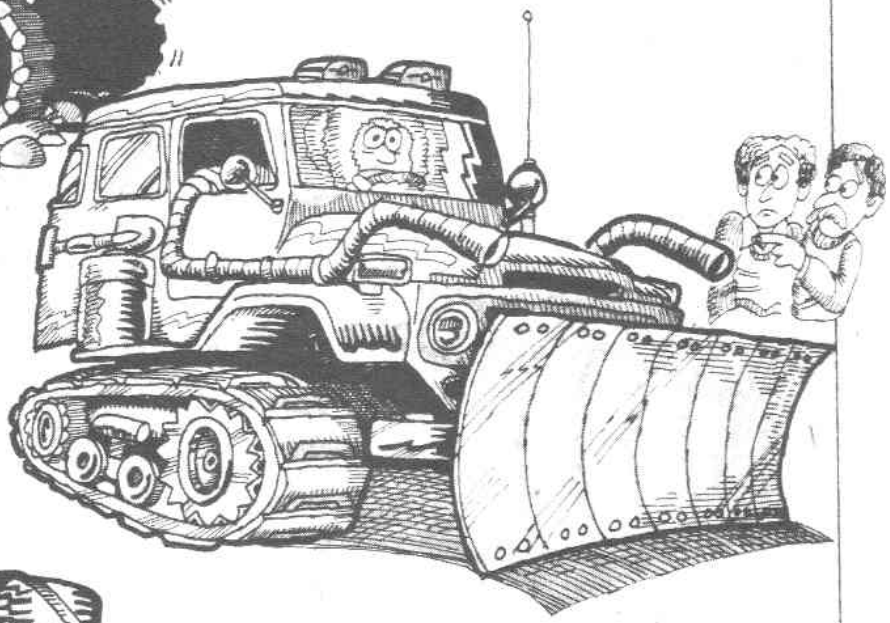
AUTO-PHOBIA

M. Streff

OUR SOCIETY'S LONG ROMANCE WITH THE AUTO HAS OFTEN HAD SOME UNFORTUNATE RESULTS. A FEW OF THE MORE OBVIOUS HANGUPS I'VE SEEN OVER THE YEARS ARE—

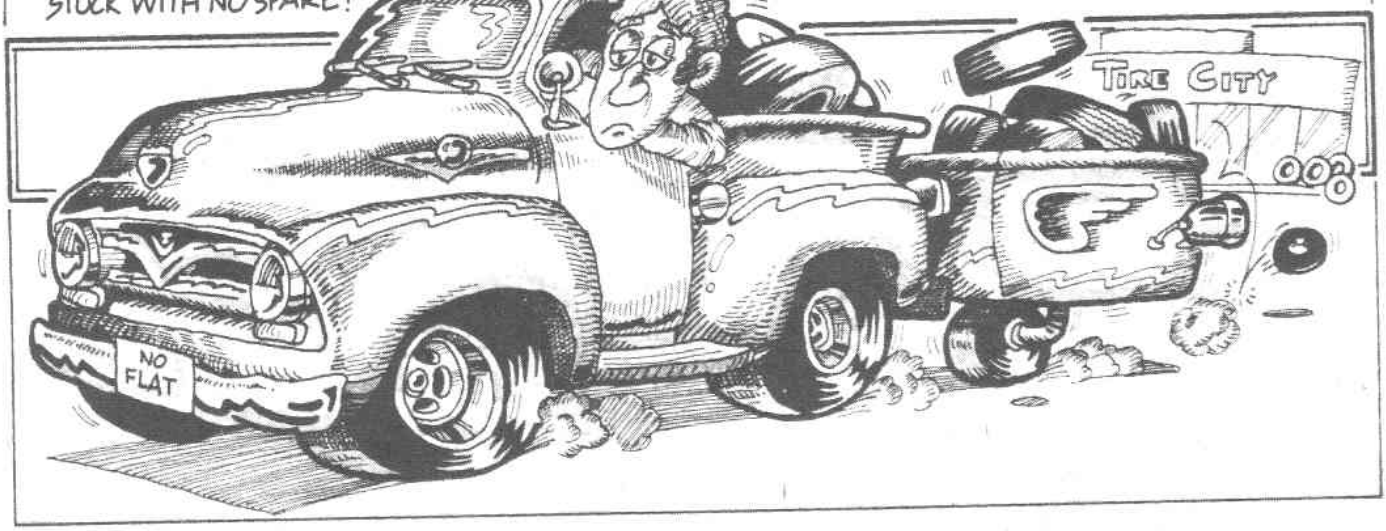


CHUCKOPHOBIA—
A FEAR OF CHUCKHOLES (ALSO KNOWN AS POTHOLES, BOMB CRATERS, BUMPS, DIPS AND DEPRESSIONS). THESE PEOPLE USUALLY NEED A STEP LADDER TO "BOARD" THEIR CAR— 4 SHOCK ABSORBERS, HEAVY DUTY COILS AND EXTRA SPRINGS KEEP THE RUNNING GEAR OFF THE ROAD.



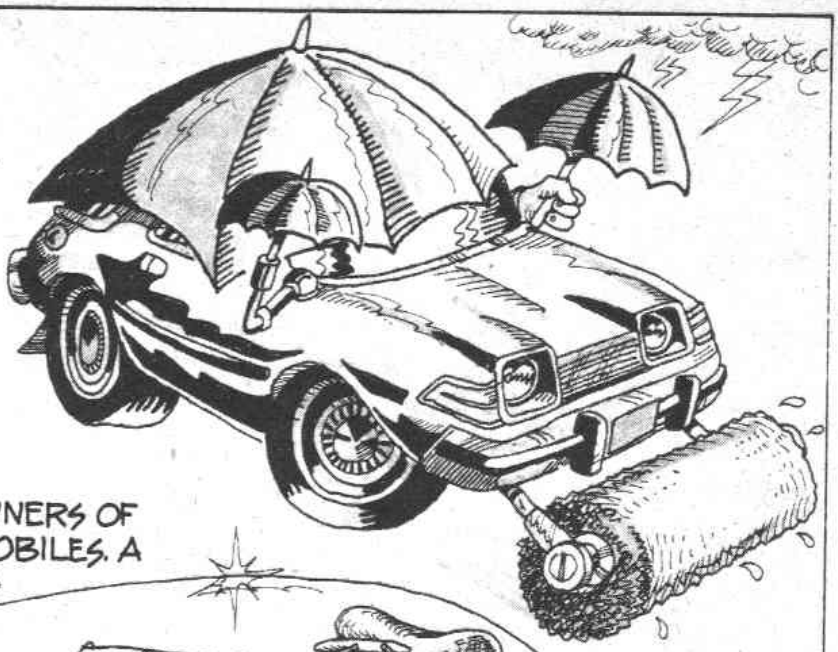
SNOPHOBIA—
AN UNREASONABLE FEAR OF THAT LITTLE WHITE STUFF THAT FALLS IN THE WINTER. OUR DRIVER HERE HAS EQUIPPED HIMSELF WITH A PLOW, OLD TANK TREADS, AND 2 HEAVY DUTY BLOWERS (NOT TO MENTION SHOVELS, SAND AND ½ TON OF SALT.)

FLATOPHOBIA—
THE FEAR OF HAVING A FLAT TIRE AND BEING STUCK WITH NO SPARE!



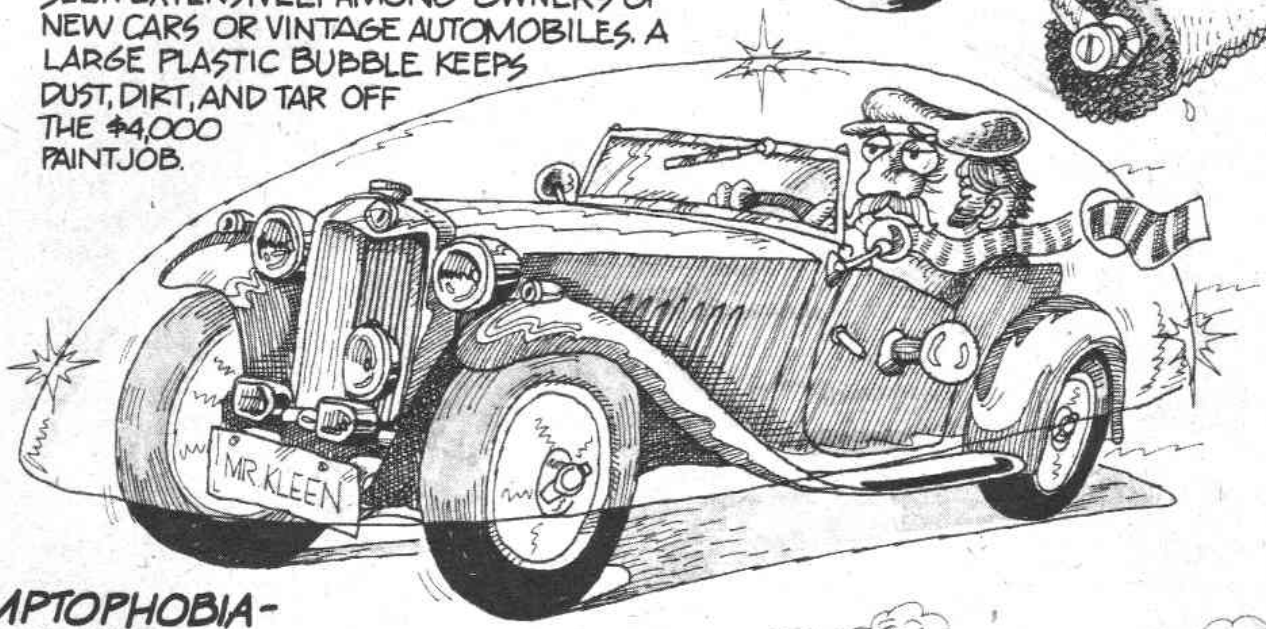
AQUAPHOBIA-

A FEAR OF RAIN OR EXCESSIVE AMOUNTS OF WATER FALLING ON THE CAR. UMBRELLAS AND A ROLLING SPONGE KEEP THE "DRY LOOK" INTACT.



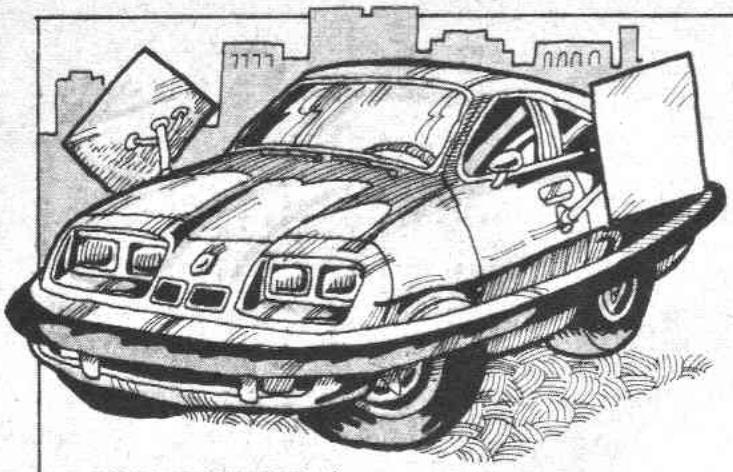
DUSTOPHOBIA-

SEEN EXTENSIVELY AMONG OWNERS OF NEW CARS OR VINTAGE AUTOMOBILES. A LARGE PLASTIC BUBBLE KEEPS DUST, DIRT, AND TAR OFF THE $4,000 PAINTJOB.

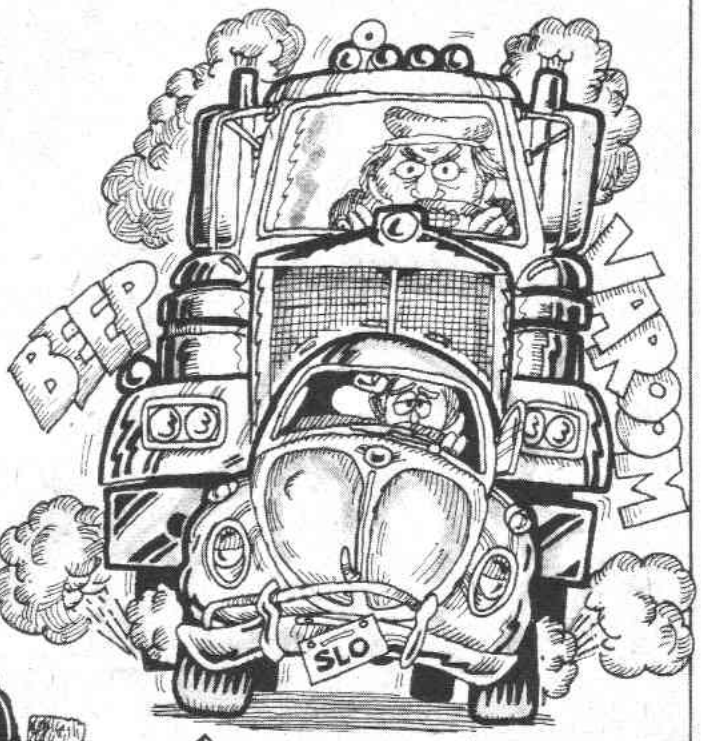


EMPTOPHOBIA-

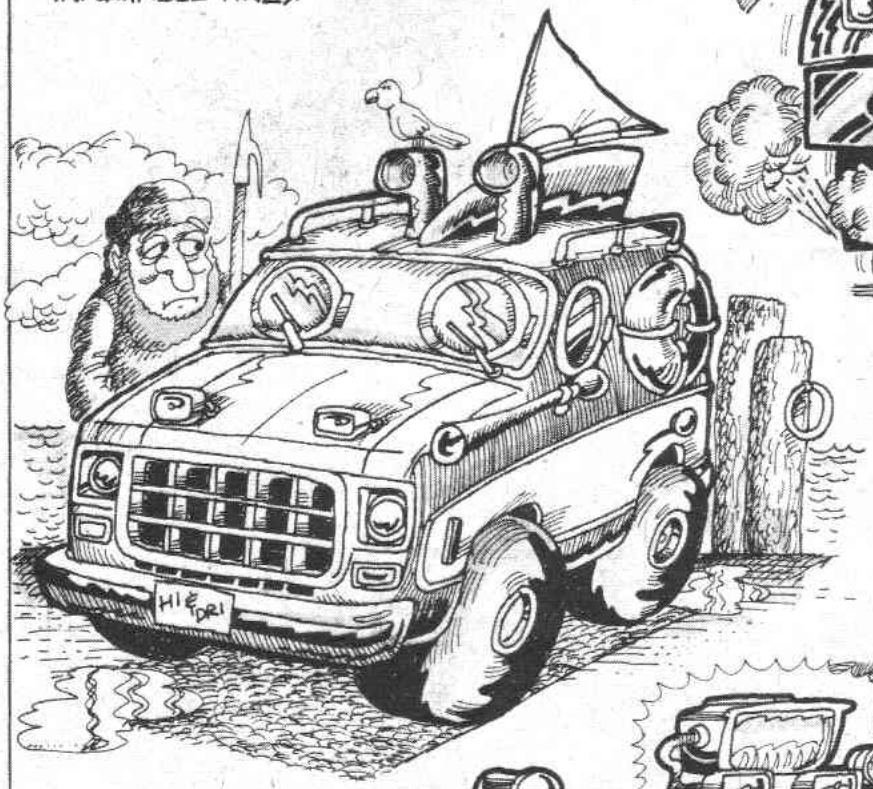
A FEAR OF SEEING THE GAS GAUGE NEEDLE GET ANYWHERE NEAR "E." THIS GAL IS NEVER WITHOUT 50 SPARE GALLONS.



NICKOPHOBIA-
A FEAR OF NICKS AND SCRATCHES- ESPECIALLY THE KIND YOU GET IN PARKING LOTS. THIS HUGE WRAPAROUND RUBBER BUMPER, PLUS MOVABLE SCREENS, PROTECT THE DELICATE FINISH FROM FLYING DOORS.



SINKOPHOBIA-
NO, NOT A FEAR OF BATHROOM SINKS. THIS IS A FEAR OF SINKING, AS IN WATER. THIS VEHICLE IS EQUIPPED TO FLOAT IN AND NAVIGATE ON ANY BODY OF WATER. NOTE INFLATABLE TIRES.

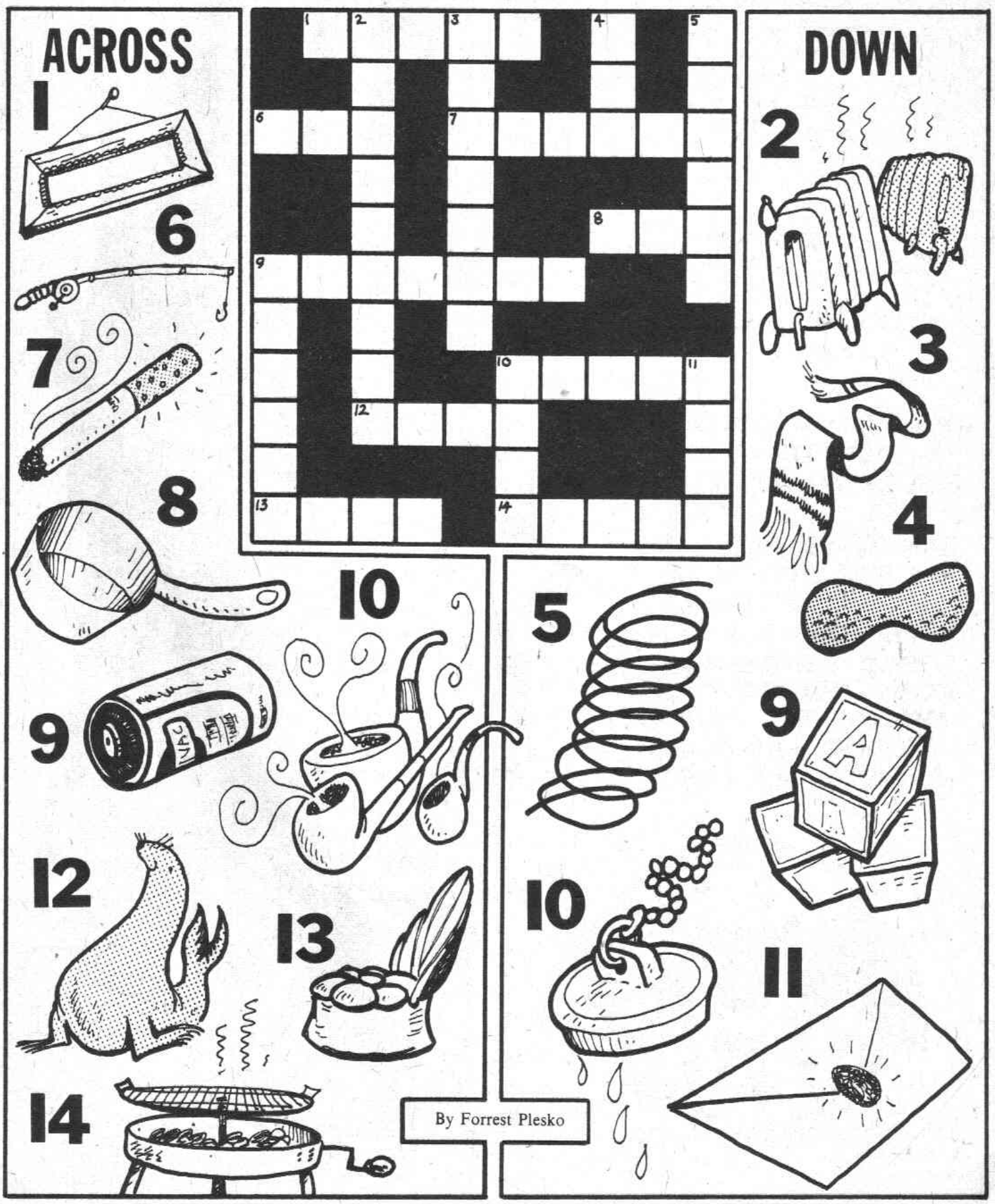


SEMIPHOBIA-
SUFFERERS ARE USUALLY OWNERS OF VW'S, HONDAS, MG'S OR OLD METROPOLITANS. MANY AVOID FREEWAYS COMPLETELY.

DARKOPHOBIA-
THE GUY THAT ALWAYS SLEEPS WITH A LIGHT ON. A FEAR OF THE DARK IS HIS REASON FOR INSTALLING SEARCHLIGHTS, DRIVING LIGHTS, FOG LAMPS AND AN OCCASIONAL FLASHLIGHT. HIS DIE HARD LASTS 3 DAYS - 2 IN THE WINTER WHEN THE NIGHTS ARE LONGER.

THAT'S ALL!

PICTURE CROSSWORD

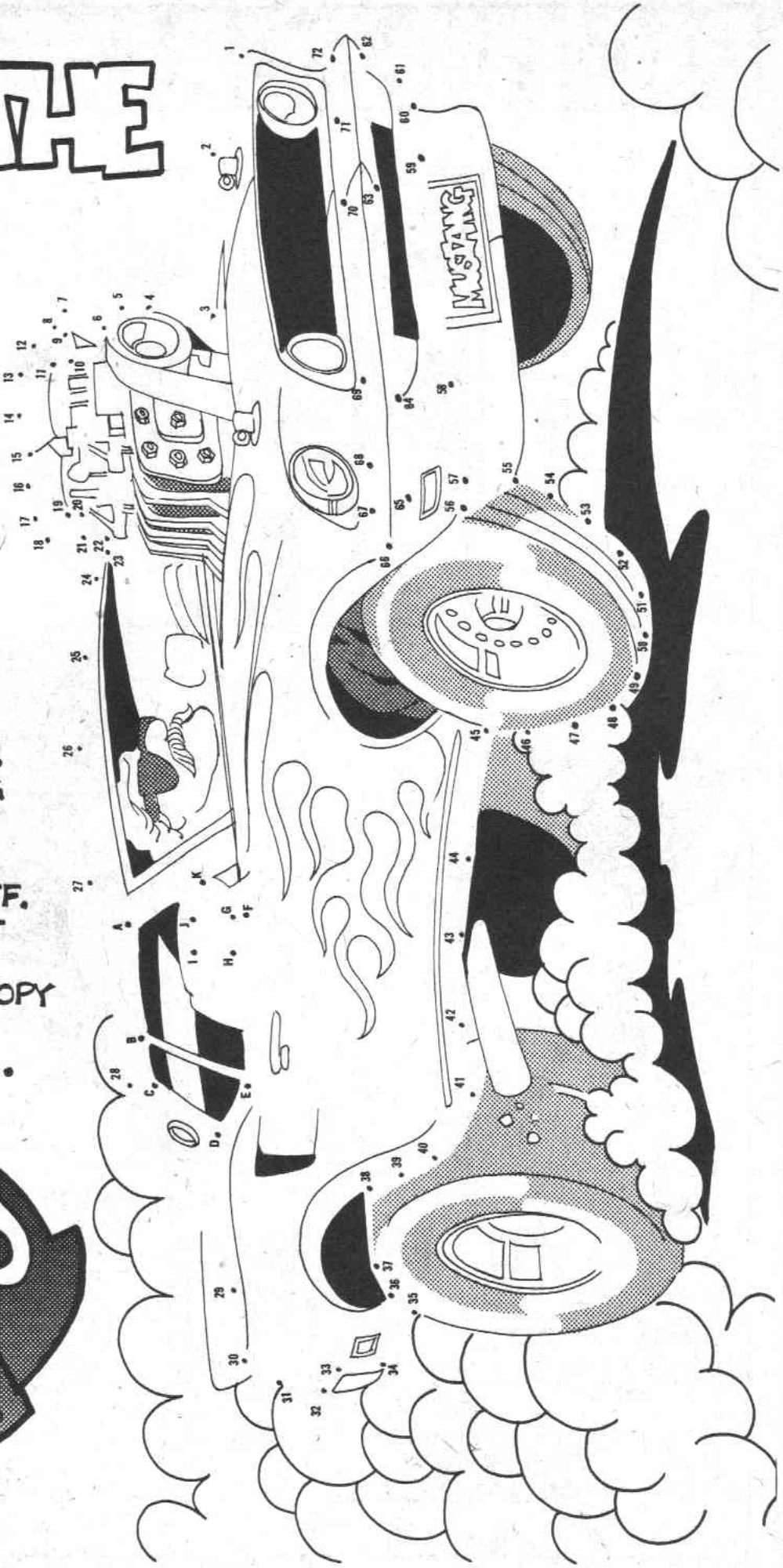


Answer on page 59

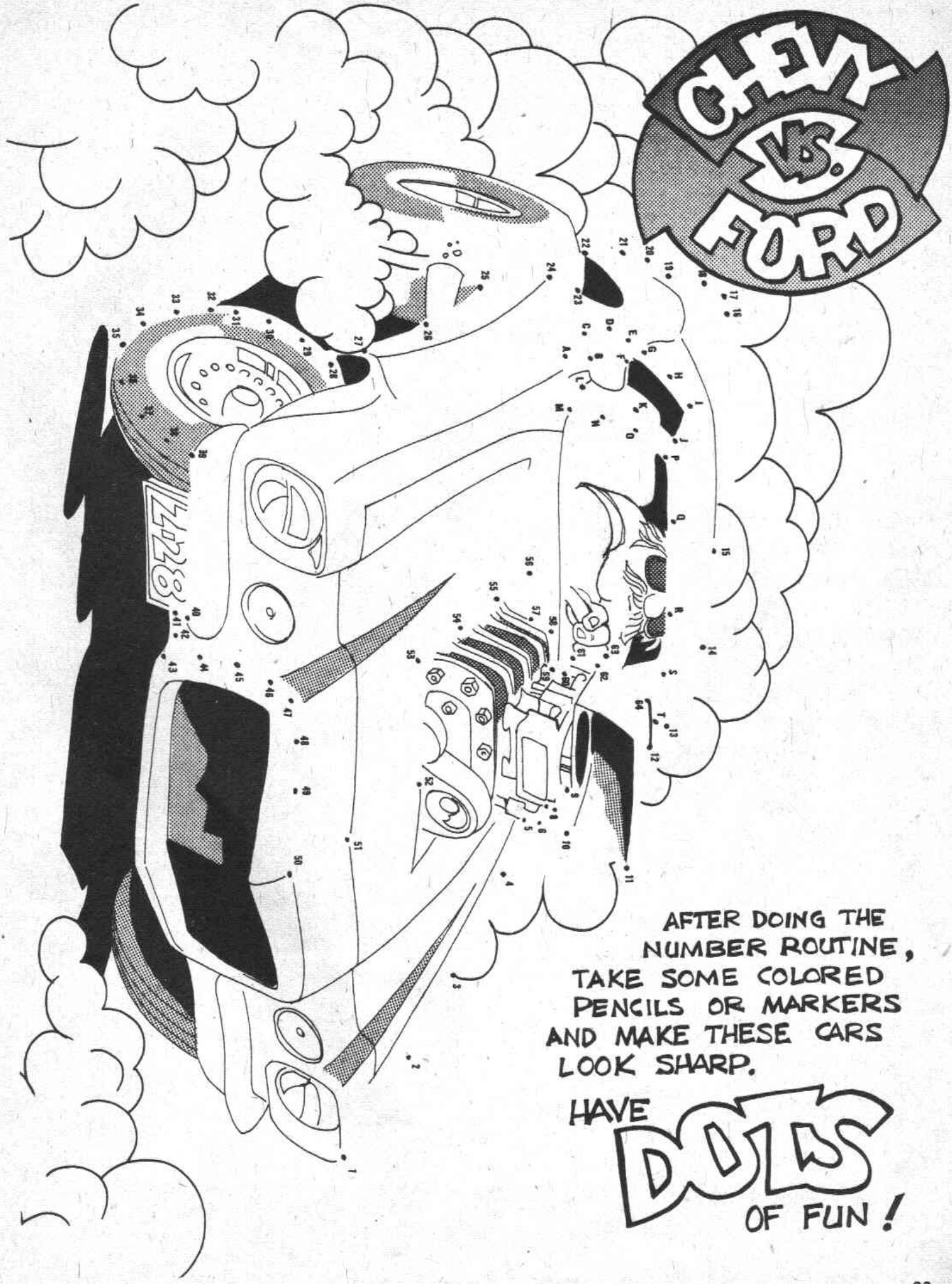
DOTS THE WAY IT GOES.

STEVE AUSTIN

OKAY 'TOONEROOS' WE KNOW HOW YOU DISLIKE MARKING UP YOUR COPY OF THIS MAGAZINE. SAVING 'EM FOR POSTERITY AND ALL THAT LONG TIME FROM NOW STUFF. SOOOO HERE'S WHAT TO DO. PHOTOCOPY! MAKE COPIES ON A COPY MACHINE AND THEN CONNECT THE DOTS.



FORD vs. CHEVY


CHEVY
VS.
FORD
AFTER DOING THE NUMBER ROUTINE, TAKE SOME COLORED PENCILS OR MARKERS AND MAKE THESE CARS LOOK SHARP.
HAVE DOTS OF FUN!

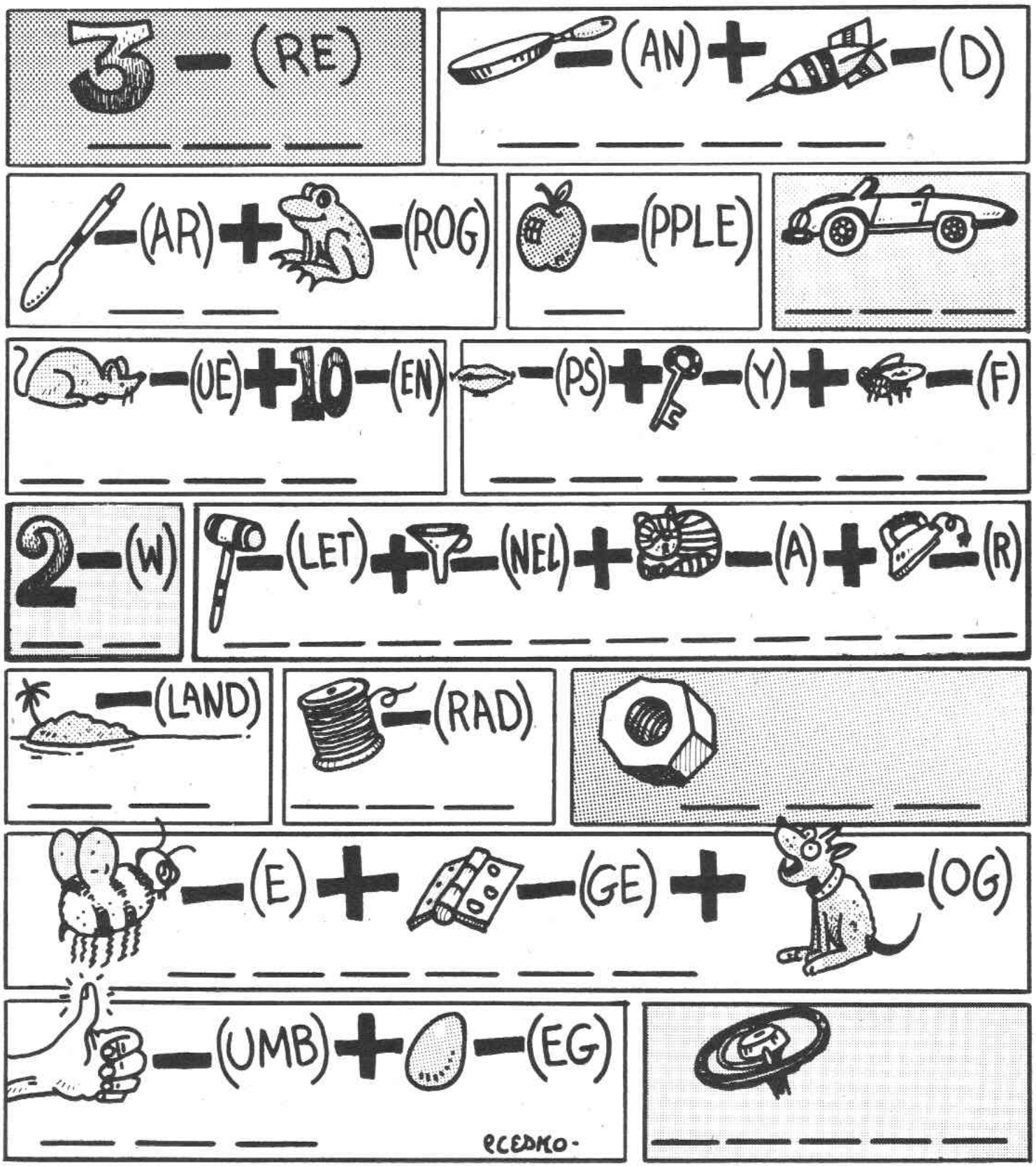
Here's a question. What do you, our reader fair, think that the off-road vehicle of the future will look like? If you've read any issue of this mag before, than you'll know that this is yet another in a seemingly endless series of contests. For those who haven't, it is. Yes, gang, another contest that will test your talent and your strength of will—and hopefully not hurt your feelings. It's very simple. Take a piece of good white paper, and nice black ball-point pen, and draw what you think the off-road vehicle (and the driver, if you'd like) will look like in say 50 to 100 years from now. When you have completed your art, write your name and address on the back and send it to us at:

CARtoons/Off-Road Futures
8490 Sunset Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90069

The winners will receive a big ten spot and the honor of having a piece of art in CARtoons Magazine (if you consider that an honor).

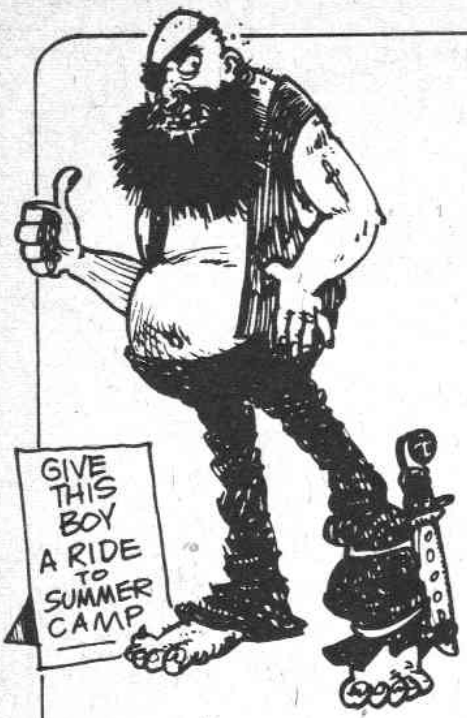
AUTO REBUS

Add and substract the letters and pictures below and you will discover something worth remembering.



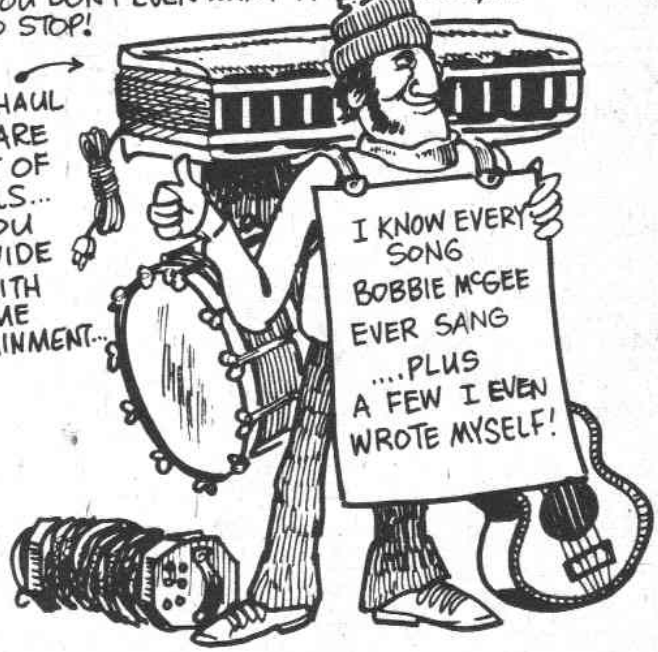
Answer: The part of a car most likely to malfunction is the nut behind the wheel.

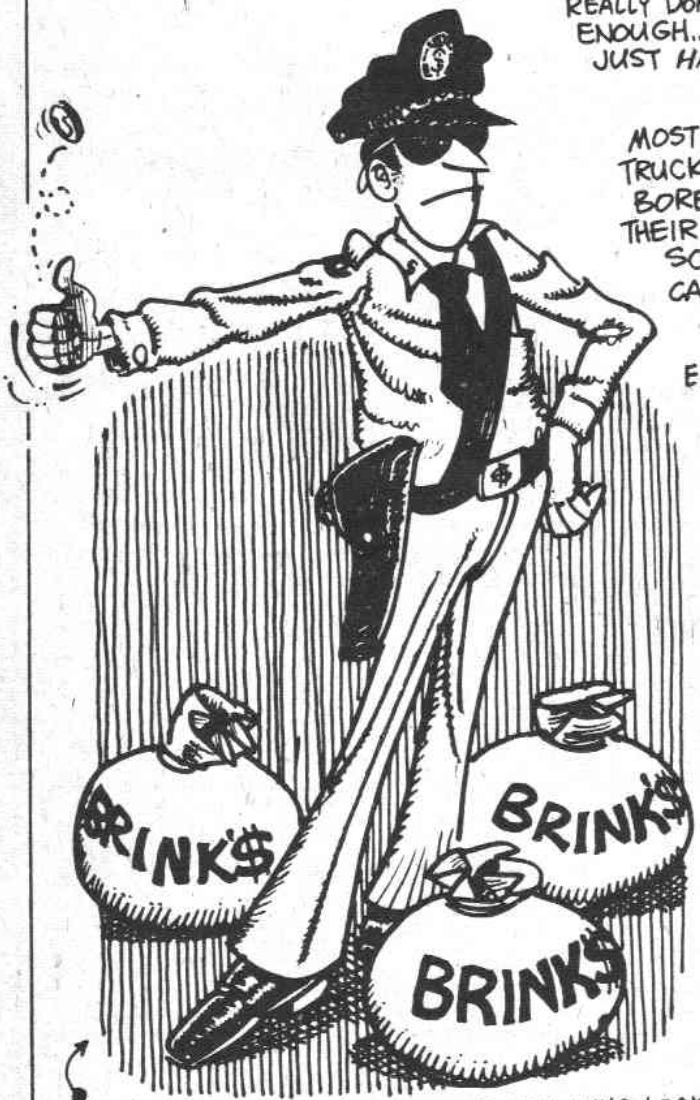
THUMBIN



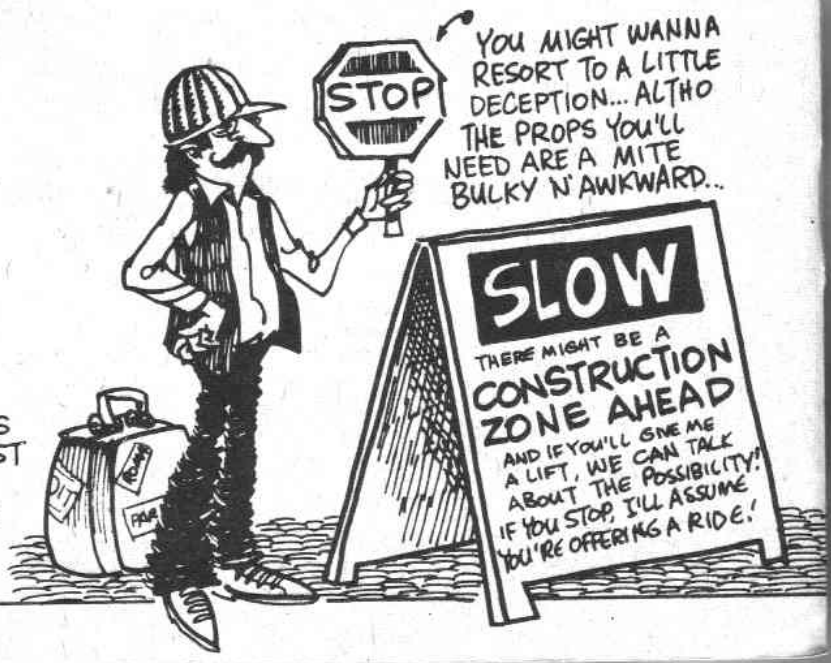
IF YOU TO BORROW MONEY, YOUR CHANCES ARE SO MUCH BETTER IF IT LOOKS LIKE YOU REALLY DON'T NEED IT. SAME WITH HITCHIN' A RIDE! IF YER CASUAL ENOUGH... LIKE YOU DON'T EVEN *WANT* A LIFT... THEY'LL JUST *HAVE* TO STOP!

MOST LONG-HAUL TRUCKERS ARE BORED OUT OF THEIR SKULLS... SO IF YOU CAN PROVIDE 'EM WITH SOME ENTERTAINMENT...



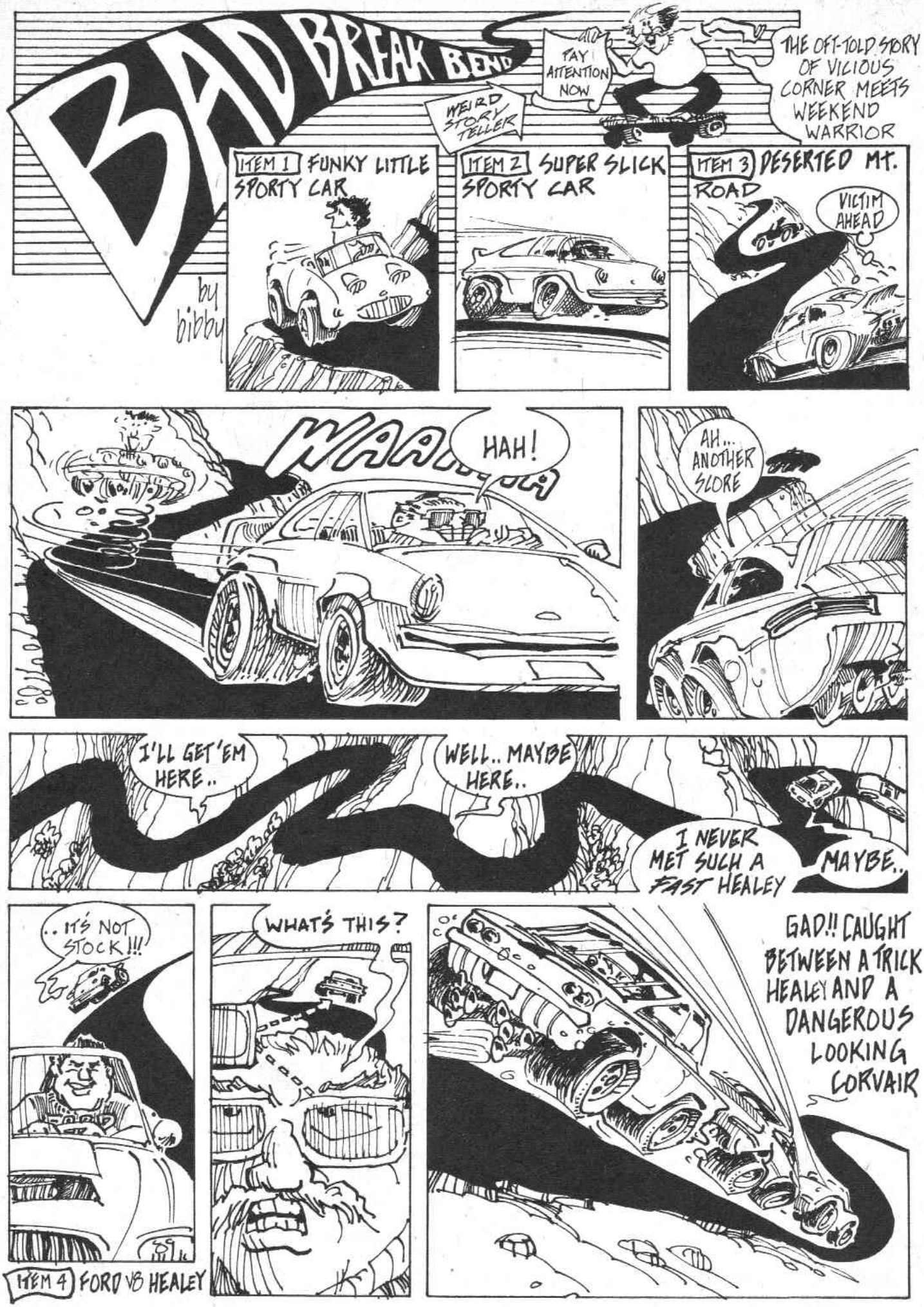


WOULD *YOU* GIVE A RIDE TO A DUDE WHO LOOKS LIKE HE COULD *BUY* YER CAR... OR AT LEAST LAY A HEAVY *TIP* ON YOU? 'COURSE YOU WOULD. SO *YOU* COULD GET A LIFT THE SAME WAY. WHO'S TO KNOW THE BAGS ARE FULL O' DIRTY CLOTHES 'N' SOUVENIRS!?



YOU MIGHT WANNA RESORT TO A LITTLE DECEPTION... ALTHO THE PROPS YOU'LL NEED ARE A MITE BULKY N' AWKWARD...

ELSE!
SOME NIFTY "HOW-TO" TIPS TO HELP YOU GET A RIDE... IF HITCH-HIKING IS YOUR TRIP THIS SUMMER...
IF YOU RESEMBLE SOMEONE FAMOUS... WHY NOT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT? WHO COULD PASS YOU BY THEN?
You don't even have to slow down. ...I'll just catch up with You!
INVOICE
SHIP TO:
TRUCKERS ARE ALWAYS HELPIN' EACH OTHER... SO IF ONE THINKS A CRATE FELL OFF SOMEONE'S 18-WHEELER... HE'LL PROBABLY DELIVER IT.--(YOU)
SOME DRIVERS APPRECIATE INITIATIVE AND GET-UP-AN'-GO. SO... GET UP... AN' GO, BABES!
A LOT OF TIMES, ALL YOU NEED IS TO BE NOTICED BY CAR DRIVERS. A DAY-GLO, INFLATIBLE, SIX-FOOT "THUMB" IS GONNA BE HARD TO MISS!
TAOS?
PREPARE CAUTION TO STOP!
POLICE USED TO HIDE BEHIND BILLBOARDS... WHY NOT TRY SOMETHIN' SIMILAR TO CATCH AN UNWARY DRIVER?!
NELSON DEWEY


BAD BREAK BEND
by bibby
WEIRD STORY TELLER
PAY ATTENTION NOW
THE OFT-TOLD STORY OF VICIOUS CORNER MEETS WEEKEND WARRIOR
ITEM 1 FUNKY LITTLE SPORTY CAR
ITEM 2 SUPER SLICK SPORTY CAR
ITEM 3 DESERTED MT. ROAD
VICTIM AHEAD
WAAA
HAH!
AH... ANOTHER SLORE
I'LL GET'EM HERE..
WELL.. MAYBE HERE..
I NEVER MET SUCH A FAST HEALEY
MAYBE..
.. IT'S NOT STOCK!!!
WHAT'S THIS?
GAD!! CAUGHT BETWEEN A TRICK HEALEY AND A DANGEROUS LOOKING CORVAIR
ITEM 4 FORD VS HEALEY

ITEM 5 V8 CHEVY IN BACK SEAT OF CORVAIR
UH OH
VICTIMS...
ITEM 6 STREET LEGAL GRAND PRIX TYPE CAR
BRA
SCREECH SCREECH SCRAPE
THEY'RE WRONG IF THEY THINK I'LL BACK OFF!
IT WAS CLEAR AT THIS POINT THAT EVERYBODY WAS GETTING A LITTLE OUTTA SHAPE...
..AND THEY WERE MORE THAN RIPE FOR...

ITEM 7 BAD BREAK BEND,. A NASTY DOWN-HILL, OFF CAMBER, DECREASING RADIUS, GREASE SLICKED, SUSPENSION BOTTOMING, KNEE-KNOCKING, DASTURDLY HILL-TOP TURN!!

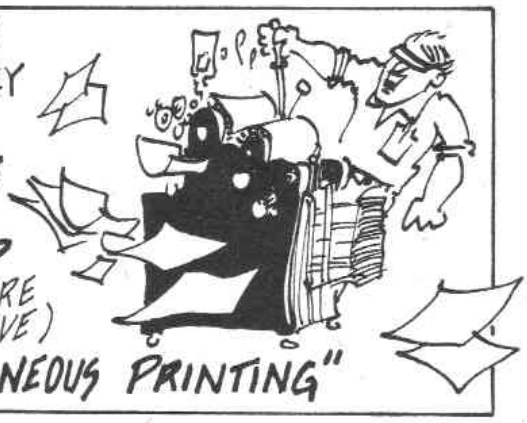
AIIII

WHAT FOLLOWED COULD HAVE TAKEN UP A BUNCHA PAGES,.. WHAT WITH ALL THE MIND EXPANSION, PERSONAL CRISIS, AND ALL THOSE STRANGE LOOKING THINGS! ...INSTEAD, LET'S GET RIGHT TO WHAT FINALLY HAPPENED!!

RIGHT OUTTA THE FRAME!!

REMEMBER ITEM 2 SUPER SLICK SPORTY CAR? HE'S THE FOUNDER OF "FRED'S FAST FRIED FISH FRITTERS" FOOD CHAIN!

ITEM 4 THE FORD/HEALEY BECAME: "FULL RACE HI-BALL NON-STOP (DONE BEFORE YOU ARRIVE) INSTANTANEOUS PRINTING"



ITEM 5 THE CORVAIR? "SPEED WASH AND OVERDRY CLOSE RATIO" LAUNDRYMATS !!!

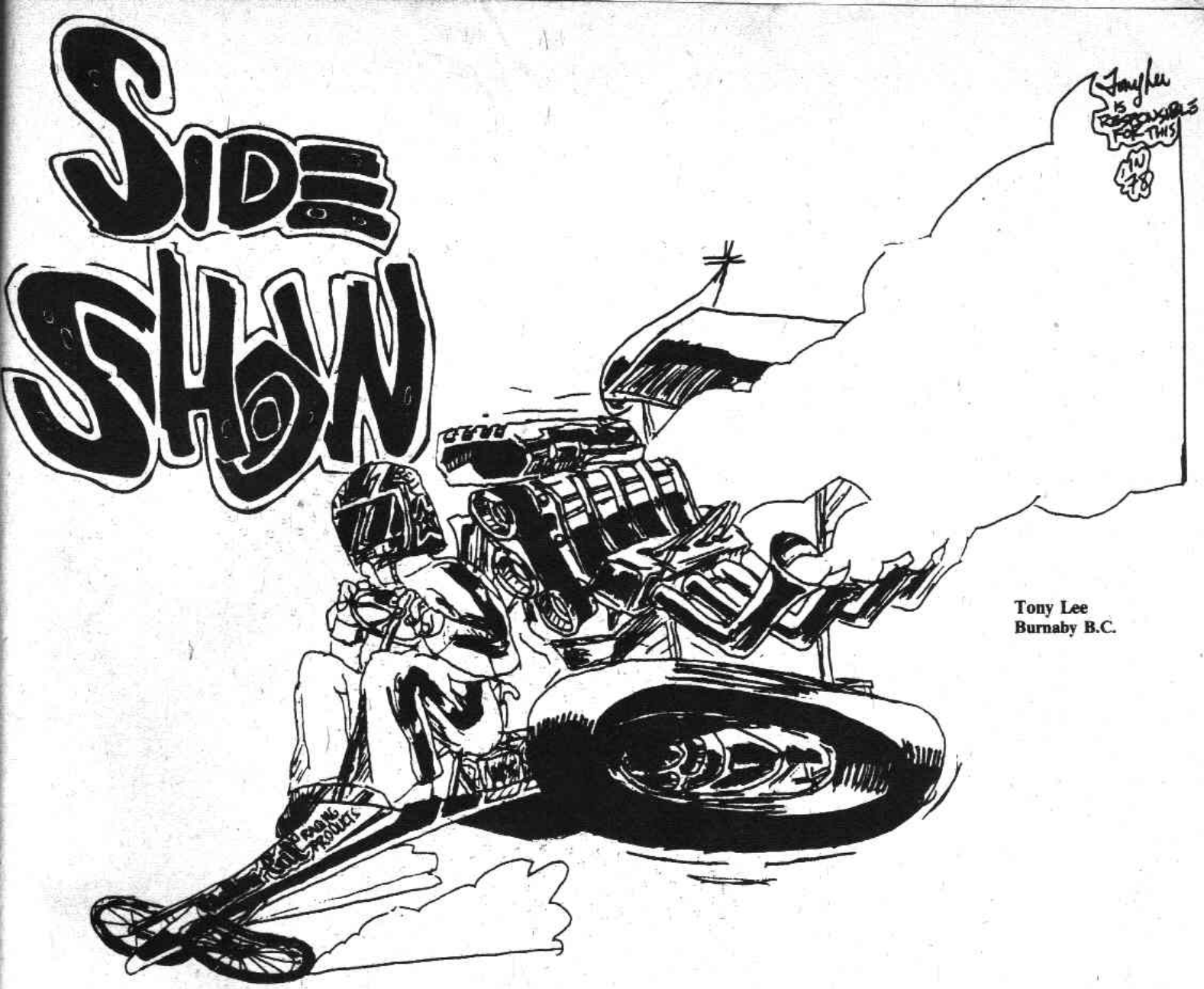
ITEM 6 THE GRAND PRIX LADY HAS "FRAN'S QUICK FIT FABULOUS FLYING FABRICS"

THE MORAL IS: IF YOU RACE, YOU DON'T HAVE TO DRIVE

OH YEAH, ITEM 1 MADE THE CORNER JUST FINE

END

SIDE SHOW



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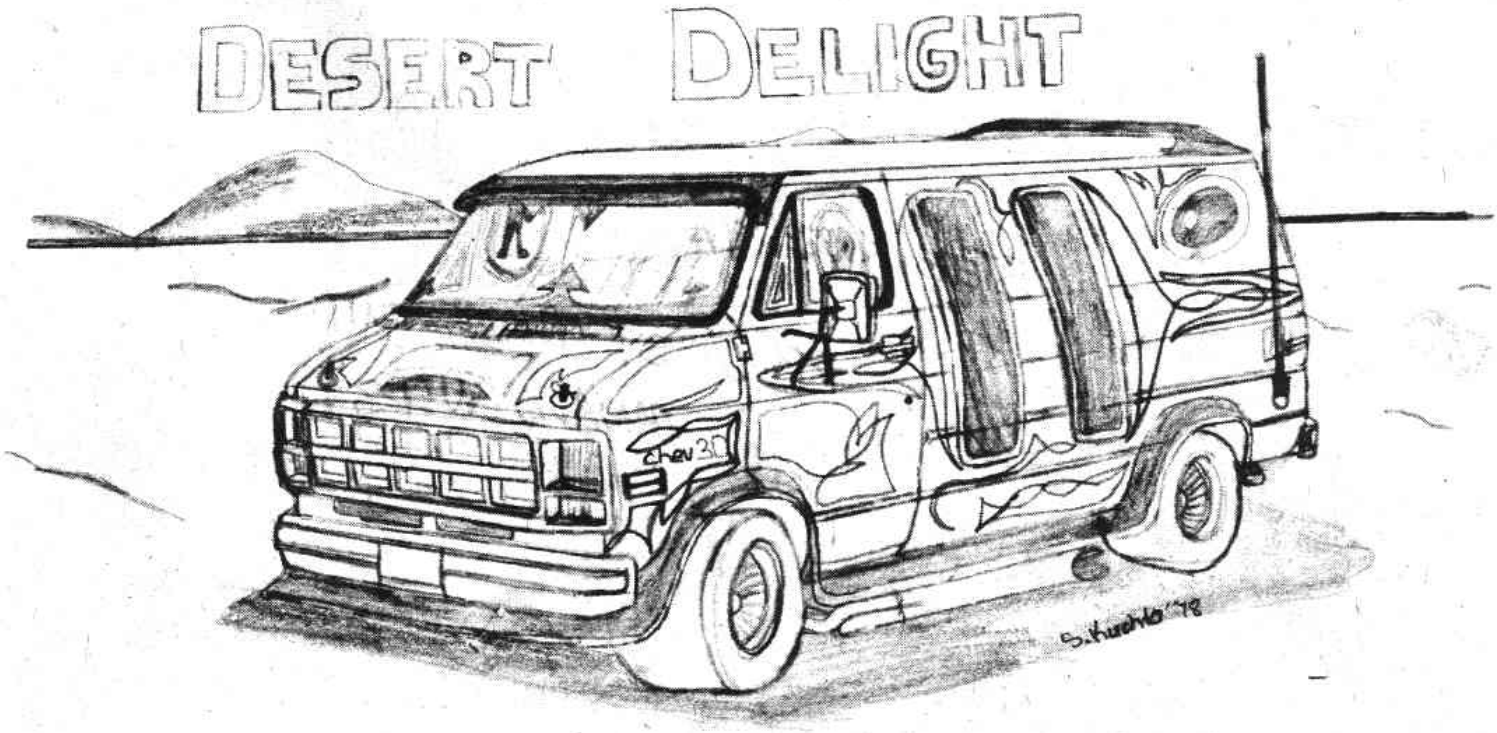

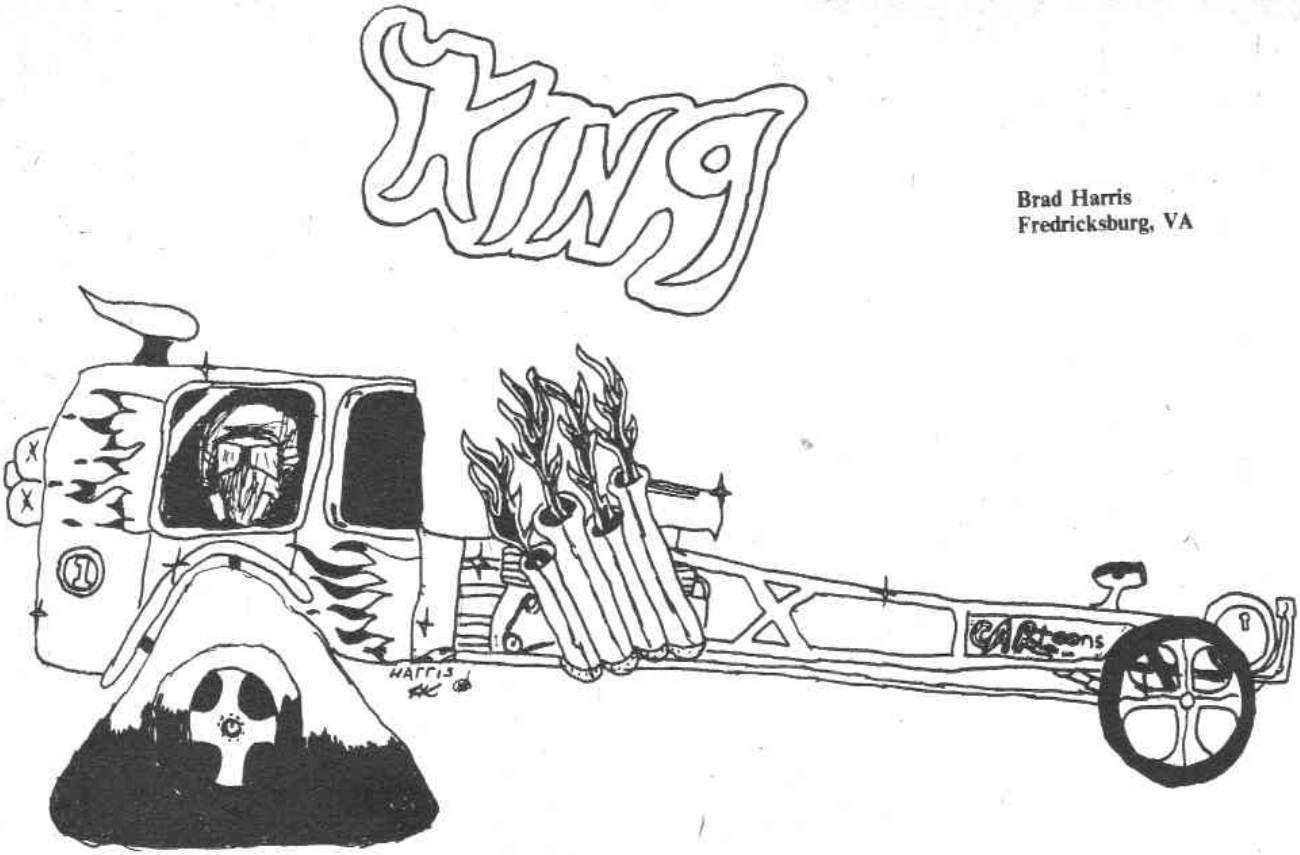

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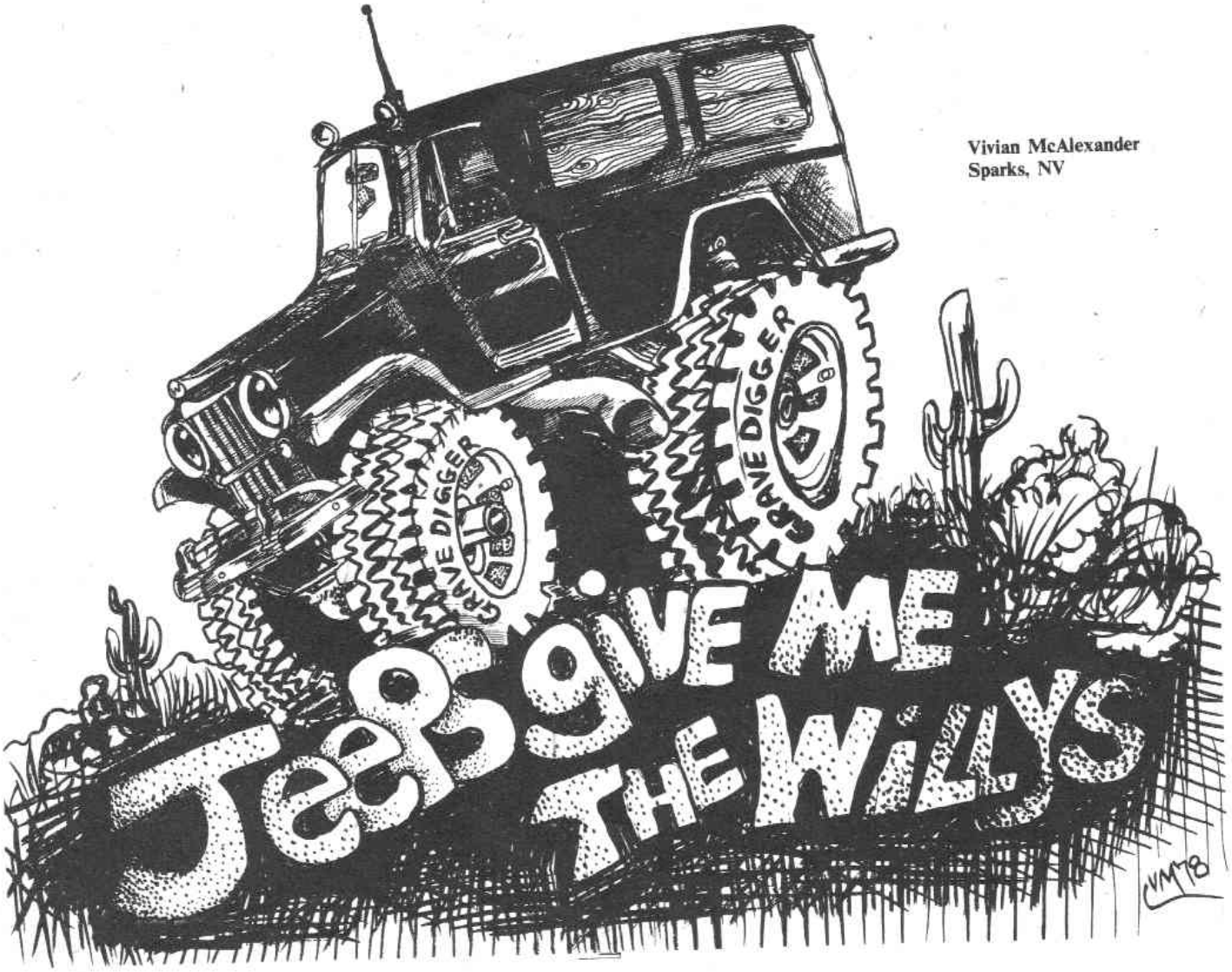
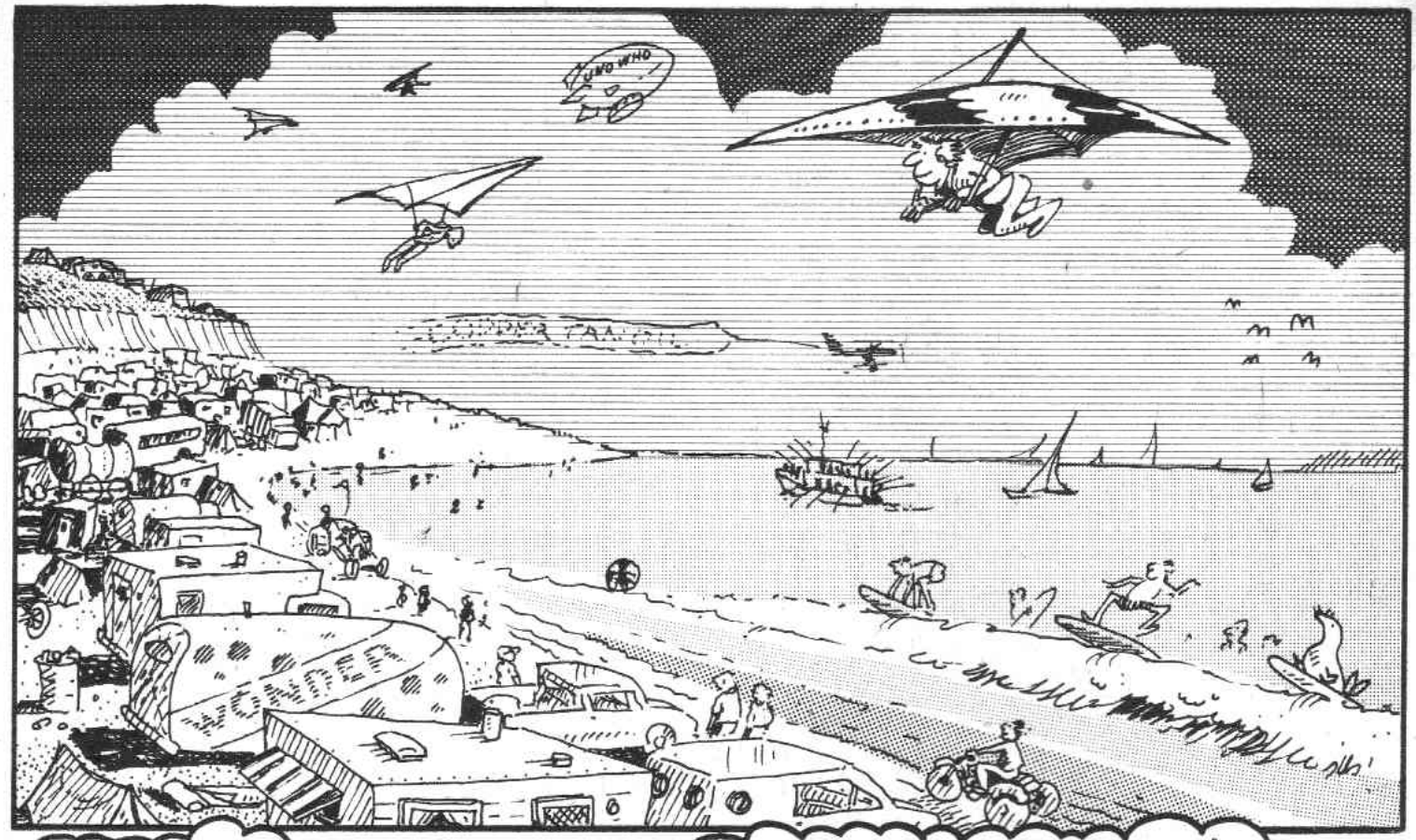


Vivian McAlexander
Sparks, NV

GETTING HIGH AT PISMO

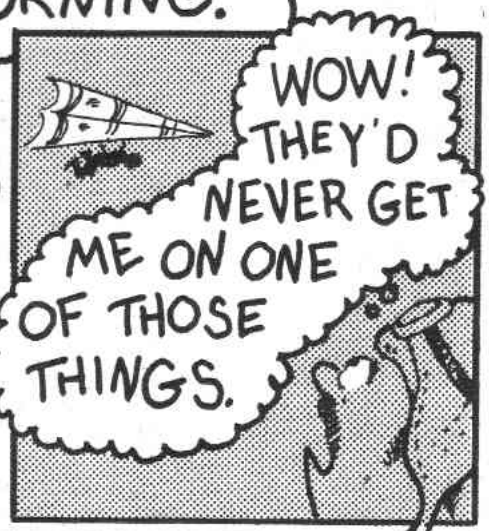

WHO WHO

THIS LOOKS LIKE A NICE SPOT.

LET'S GET SET UP AND SACK OUT SO WE CAN HIT IT IN THE MORNING.

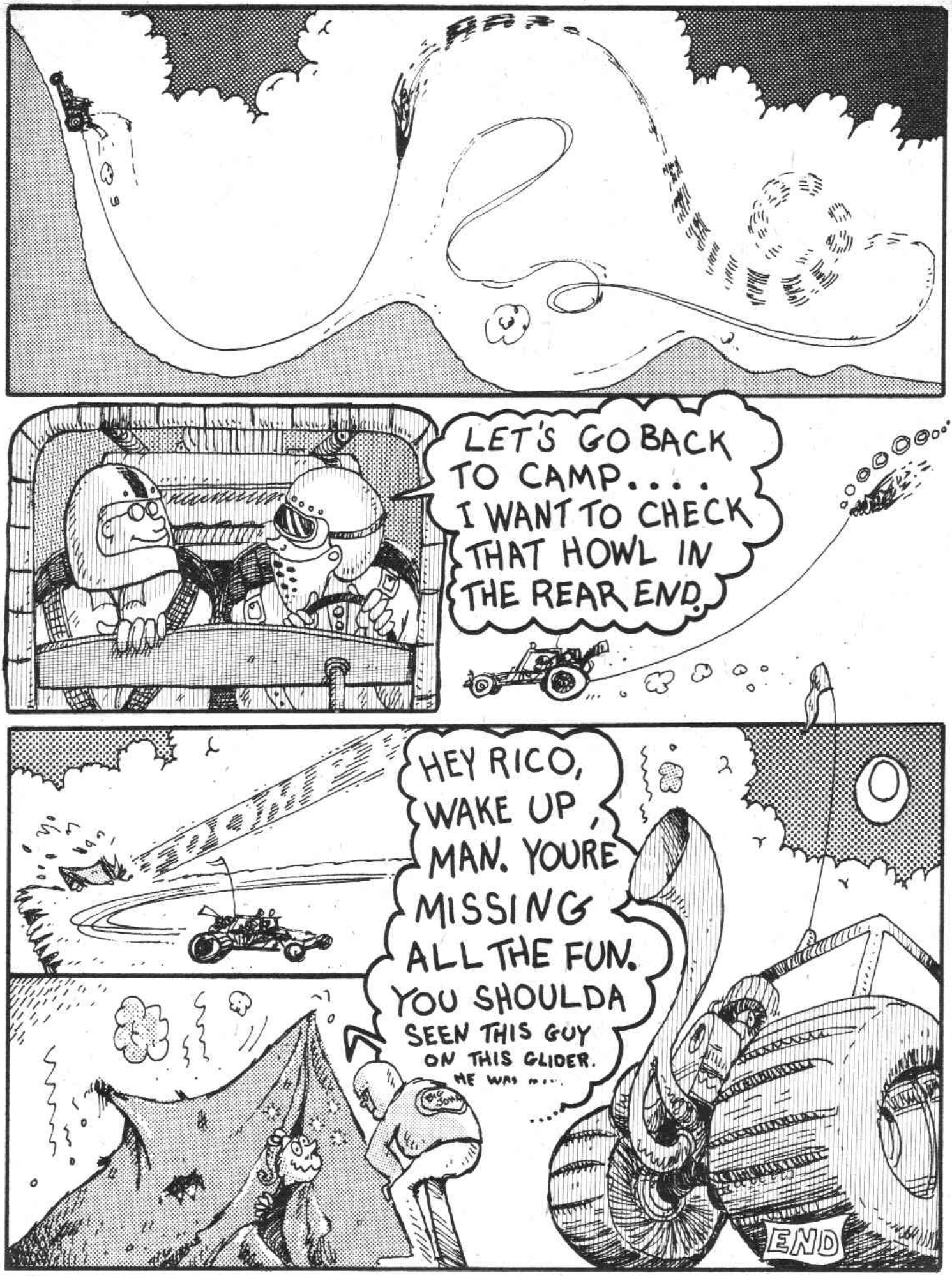
I GET THE TENT.

BOY, THIS SAND IS SOFT. I'LL HAVE TO TIE THE TENT TO THIS.


WOW! THEY'D NEVER GET ME ON ONE OF THOSE THINGS.

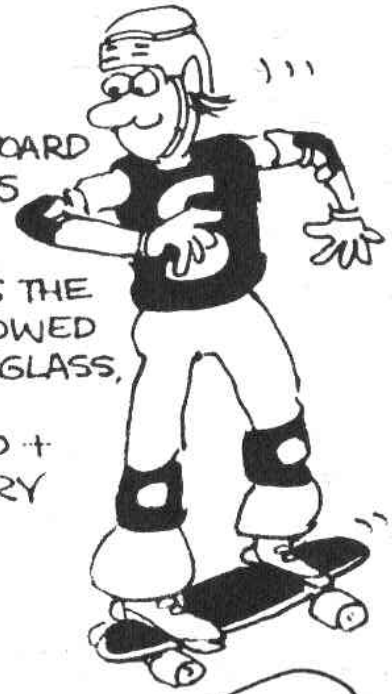
I GET SHAKY ON A HIGH CURB.
ZZZZZZZZ
ZZZZZZ

GONZO! IT'S MORNING. LET'S GET STUPID!
PUCKA
PUCKA
PUCKA
HEY WAIT UP, MAN.
RICO'S STILL ASLEEP. LET'S GO.
VOOOOOOOOOOOO
YAAAAAAAAA
HEY LOOK, A GUY ON A HANG GLIDER IS FOLLOWING US. LET'S SEE IF HE CAN KEEP UP, MAN.
WHOOAAA
OOIIIIEEOOOOO
UNNGGHHHH
PLESKO-


LET'S GO BACK TO CAMP.... I WANT TO CHECK THAT HOWL IN THE REAR END.
HEY RICO, WAKE UP, MAN. YOU'RE MISSING ALL THE FUN. YOU SHOULDA SEEN THIS GUY ON THIS GLIDER. HE WAS ....
END

SKATEBOARDERS

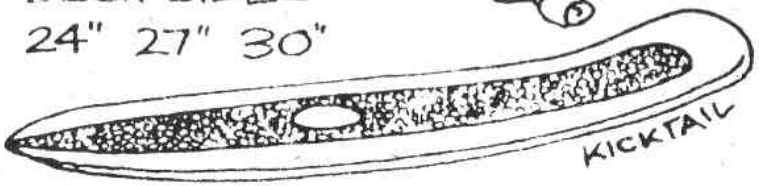
DECKS:



FIRST FIND A SKATEBOARD TO SUIT YOUR NEEDS & YOUR POCKET—

A PLASTIC DECK IS THE CHEAPEST—FOLLOWED BY MOULDED FIBREGLASS, WOOD, AND THE LAMINATED WOOD + FIBREGLASS, VERY FLEXIBLE, BUT EXPENSIVE

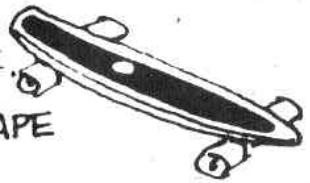
DECK SIZES:
24" 27" 30"



A KICKTAIL IS GREAT FOR DOING TRICKS

LENGTH INCREASES STABILITY—
A SHORT DECK IS GOOD FOR STUNTS
A MEDIUM DECK FOR SLALOM AND
A LONG DECK FOR DOWNHILL

ALL DECKS SHOULD HAVE A NON-SLIP SURFACE. IF NOT YOU CAN BUY A SELF ADHESIVE GRIP TAPE SURFACE BY THE FOOT.



SKATEBOARDERS

CLOTHING

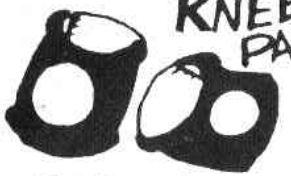
ALWAYS WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

JEANS PLUS A THICK LONG SLEEVE SWEAT SHIRT (ROLLED UP SLEEVES CAN PROTECT ELBOWS)

GLOVES ARE A **MUST**—SO ARE PLIMSOLES OR SNEAKERS...

BUT, FOR REAL SAFETY—BUY THE LOT!

ELBOW PADS



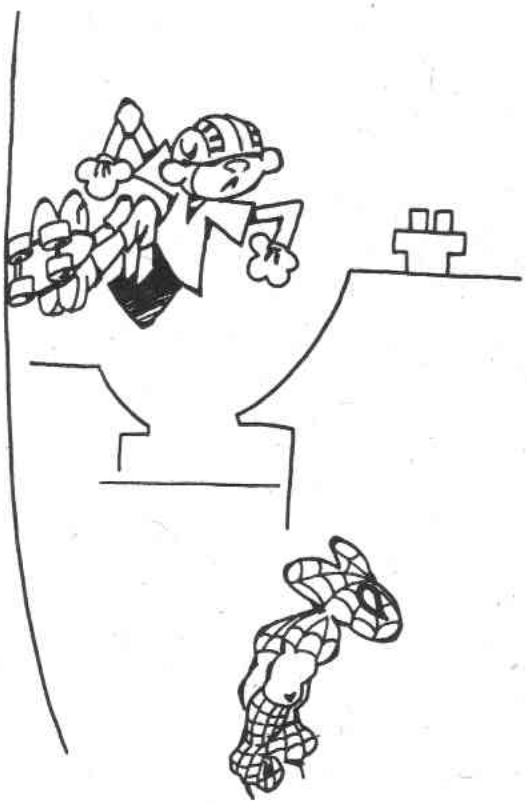
KNEE PADS

HELMET

REMEMBER THE SKATEBOARDERS GOLDEN RULE—
DO **NOT** RIDE WHEN IT IS **WET!**

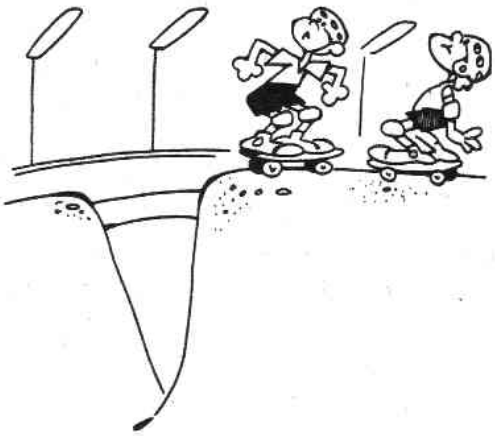
Rumor has it that Larry Walker draws these skateboard cartoons while he's actually riding down some side street on a board. We don't if it's true since Walker ain't talking. But, for someone who does a lot of board toons, Walker is kind of a funny name. So, let's all get

ON BOARD



"Eat your heart out!"

"That's against 'the law of gravity'!"



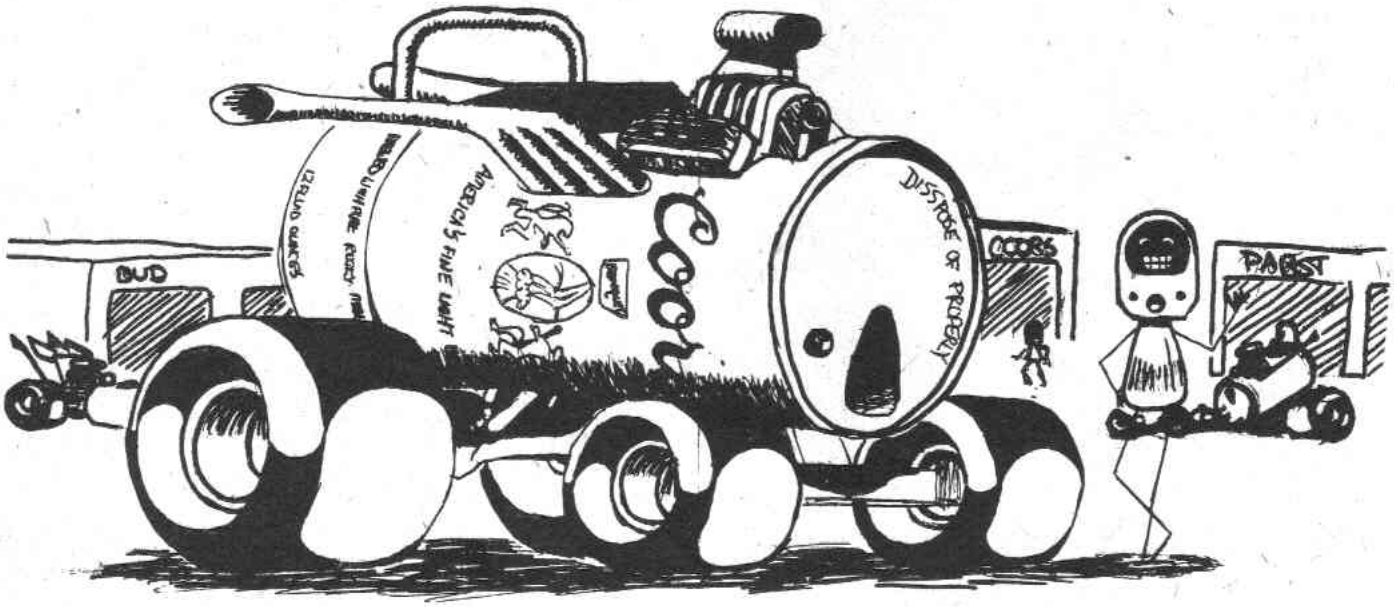
"He's got to come down sometime!"

"No wonder you always win!"

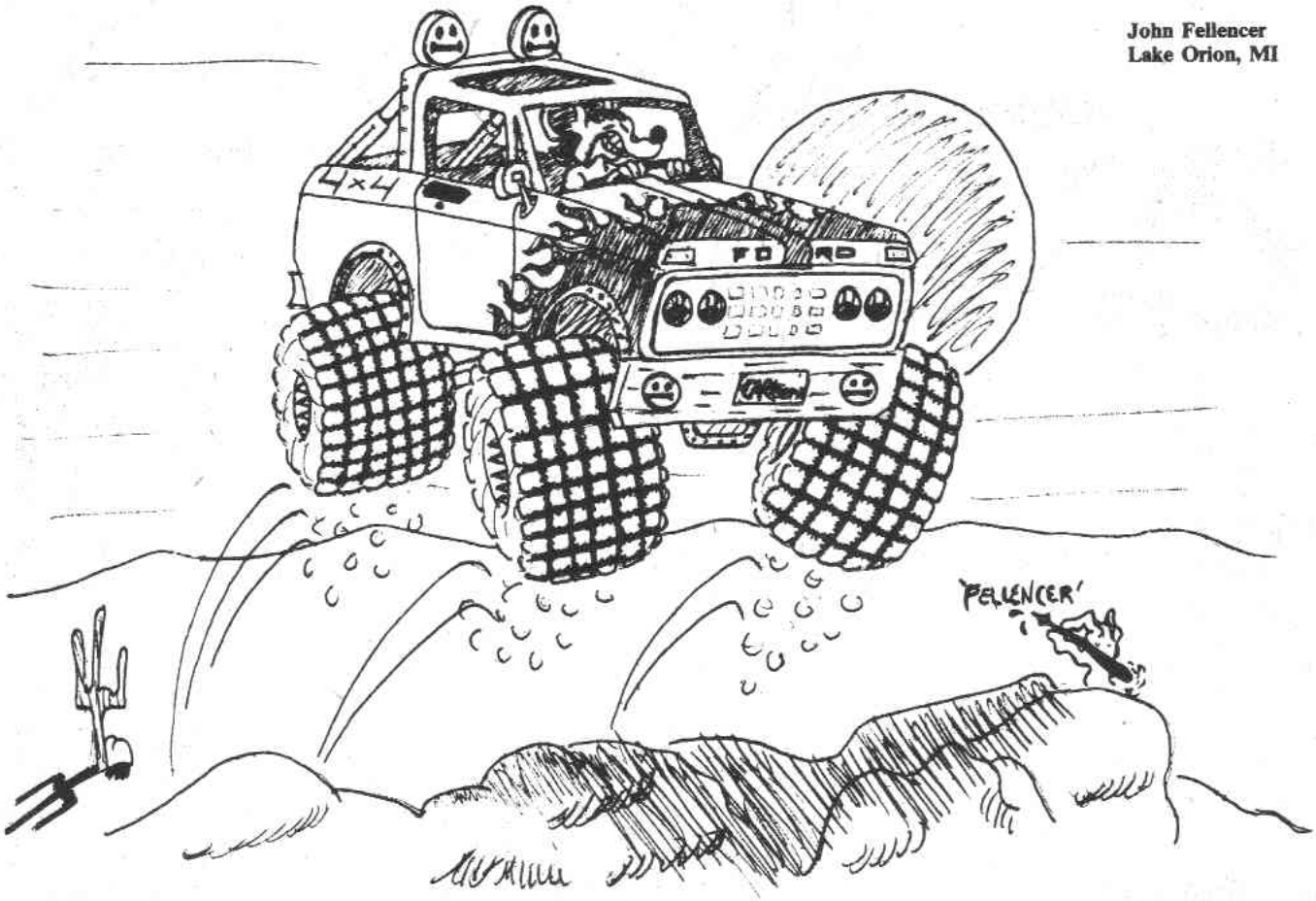
SIDE II

Dan Dreibellis
Vemnay, Manitoba,

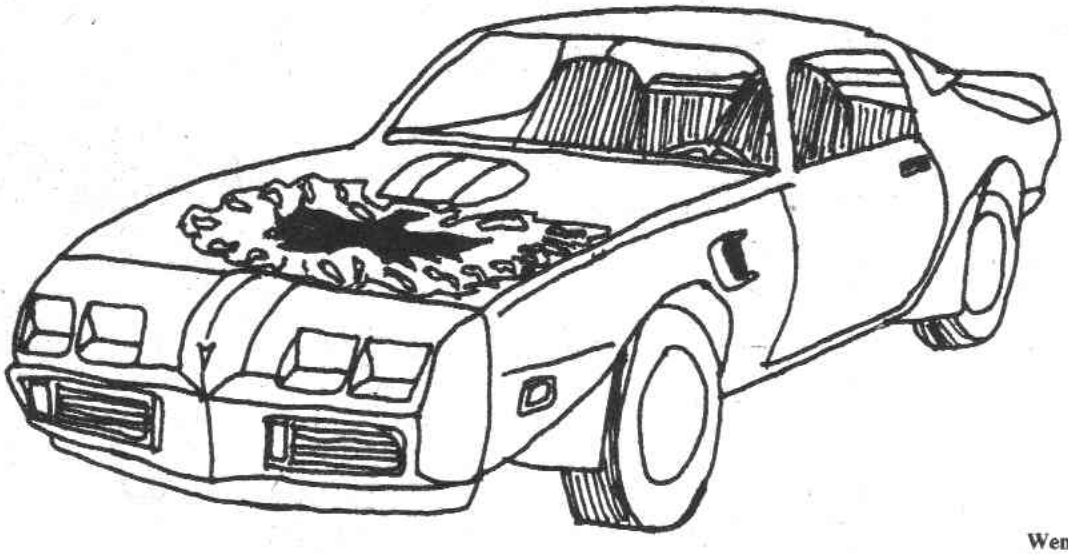
David Carter
Urbana, OH



John Fellencer
Lake Orion, MI



THE 79's ARE HERE.



Wendell Morton
Warren, MI

BOARD KINGS

Here be the first batch of winners in our most popular contest yet!

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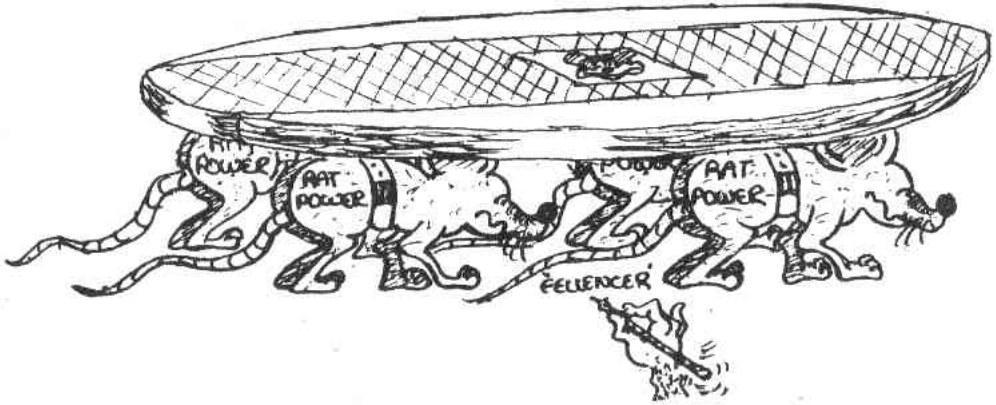
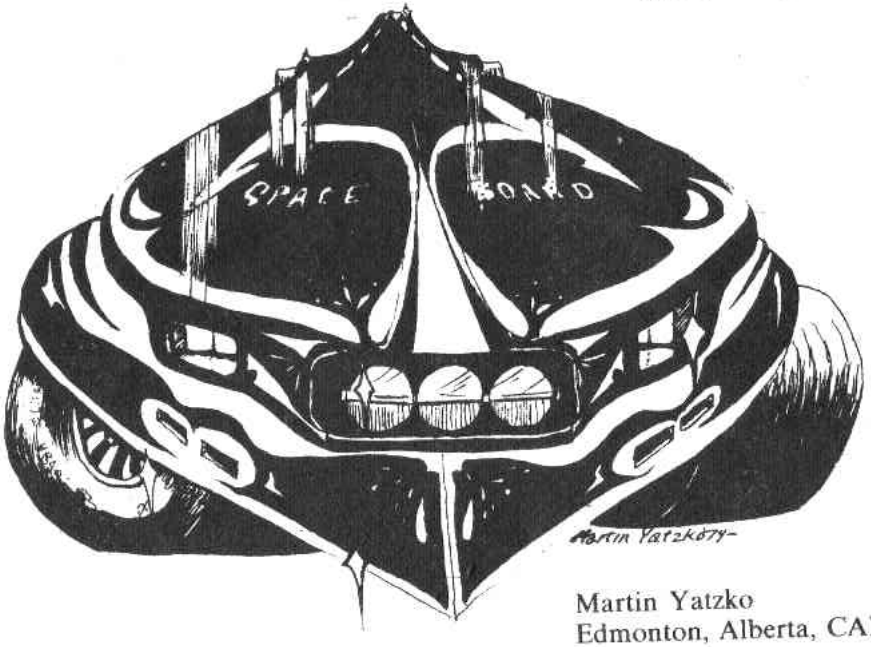
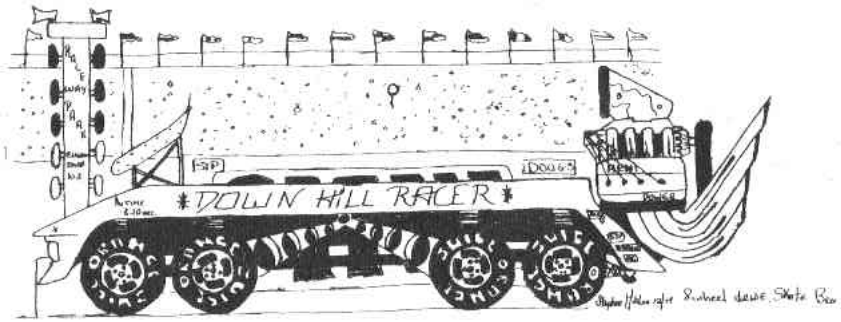


Randy Fish
Plymouth, IN



Martin Yatzko
Edmonton, Alberta, CANADA



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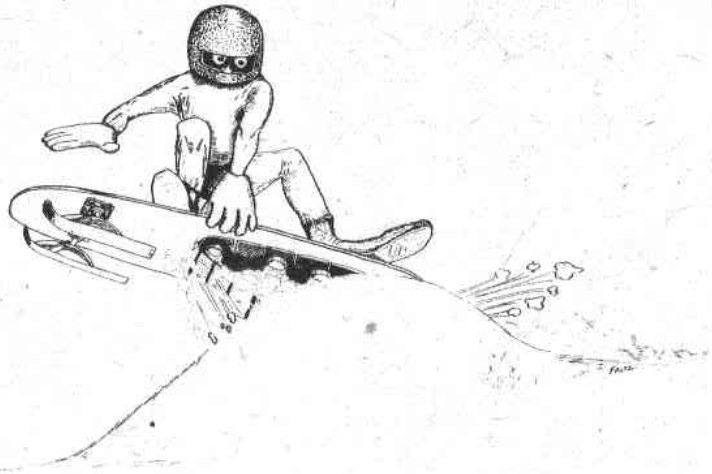
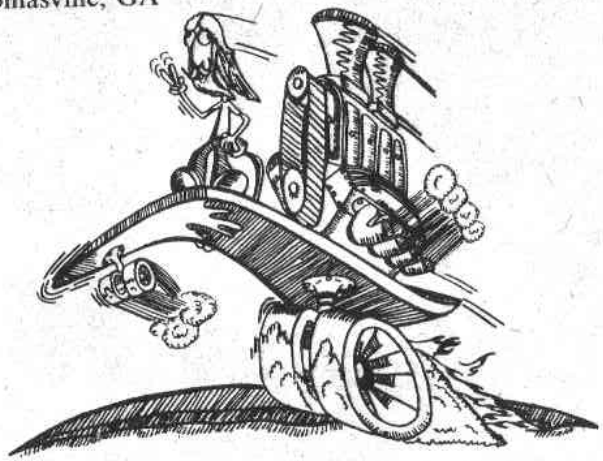
Bronx, NY

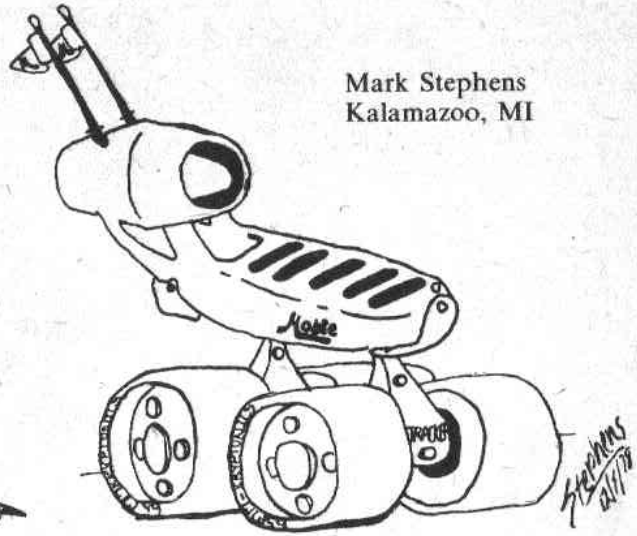
Nathan Albaugh
St. James, MN

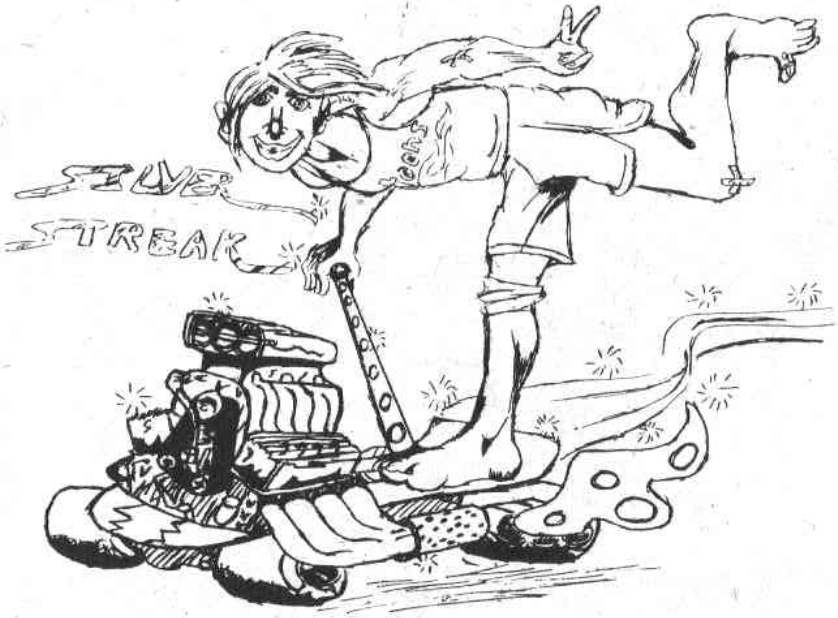


Alan Leago
Thomasville, GA



Mark Stephens
Kalamazoo, MI





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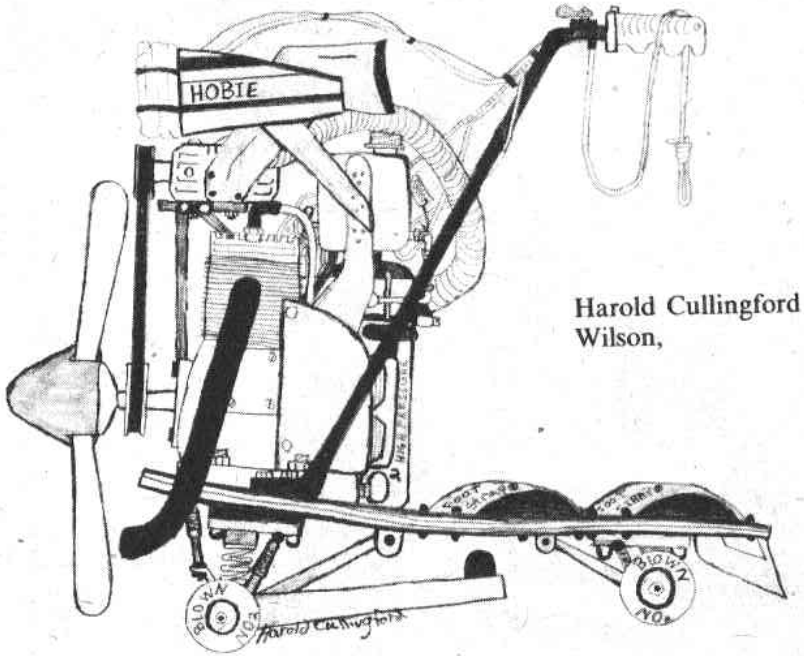
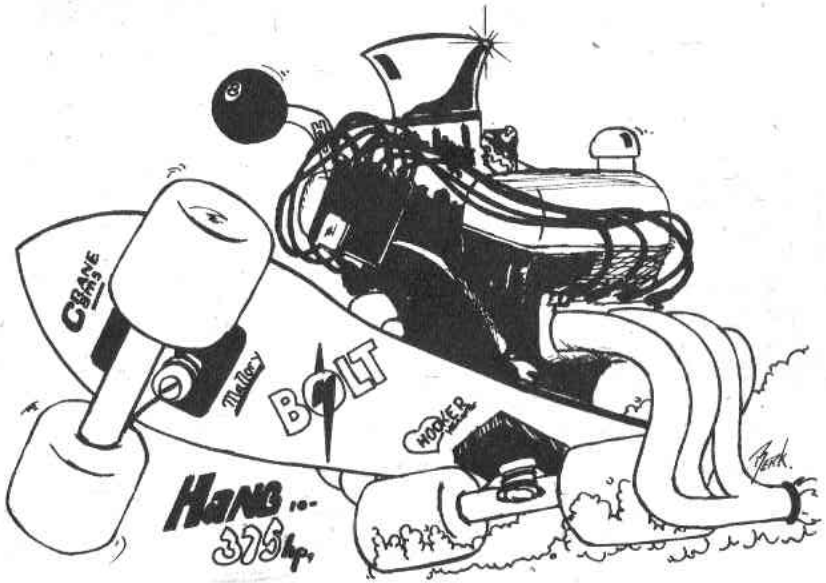
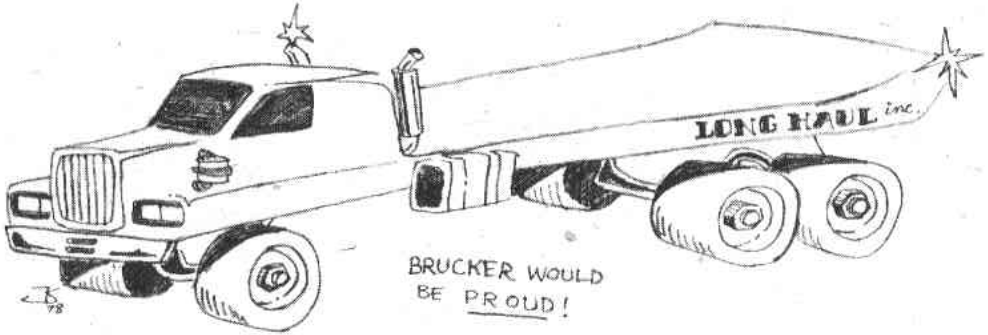


Harold Cullingford
Wilson,



John Kriegshauser
Omaha, NB



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Todd Knutson
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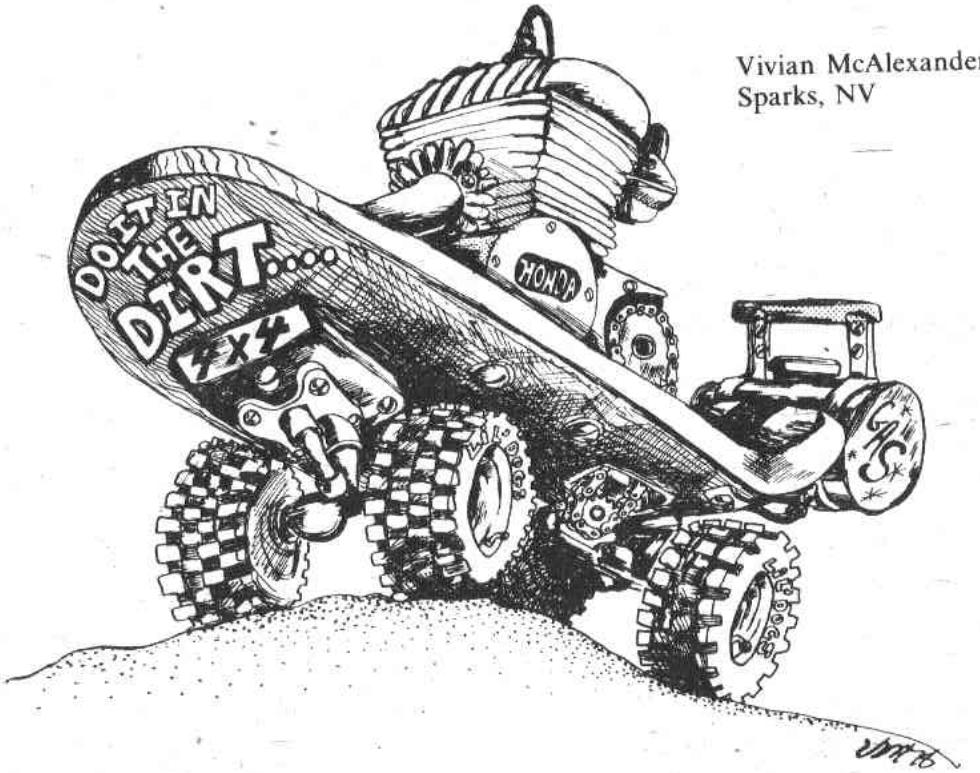

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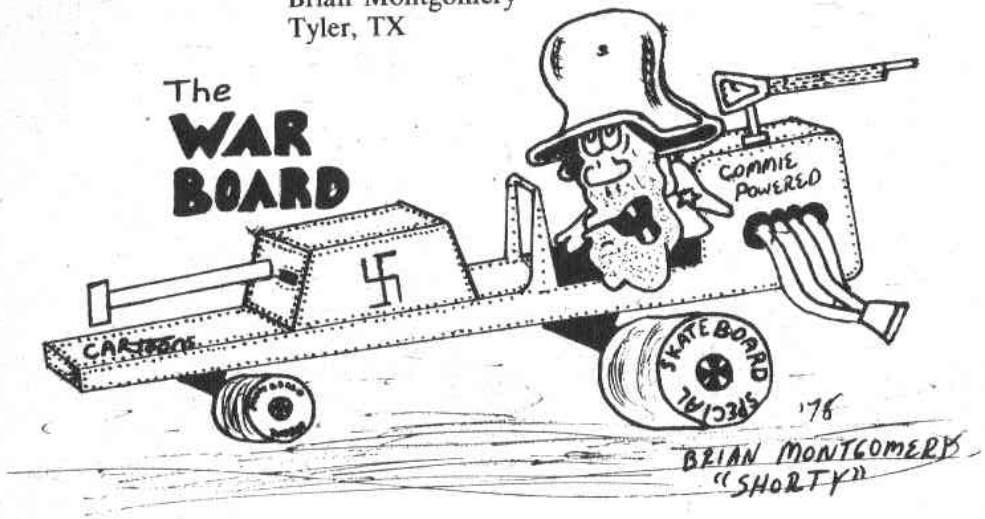
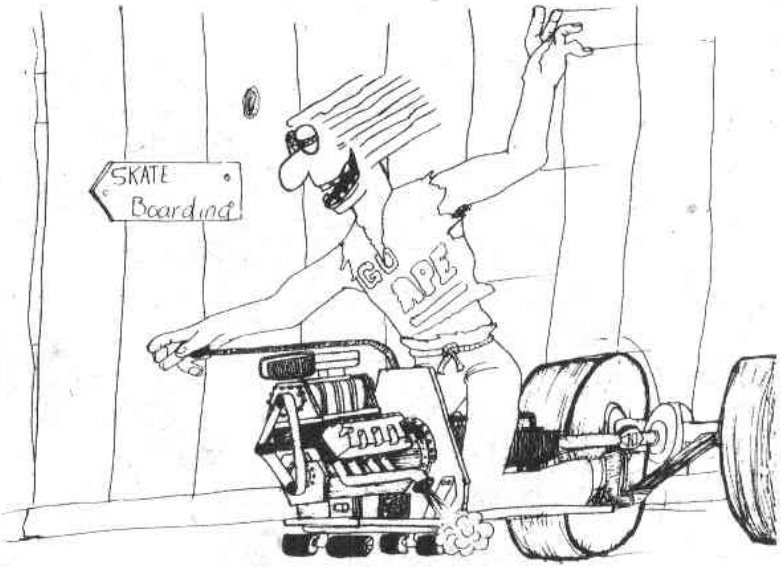
Tyler, TX





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Joel Gregg
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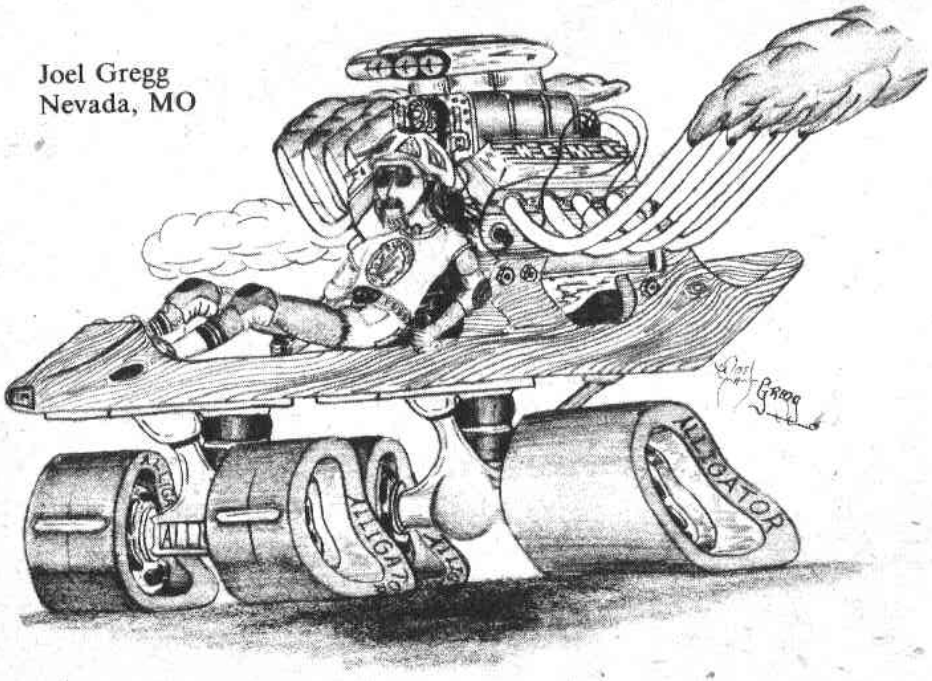

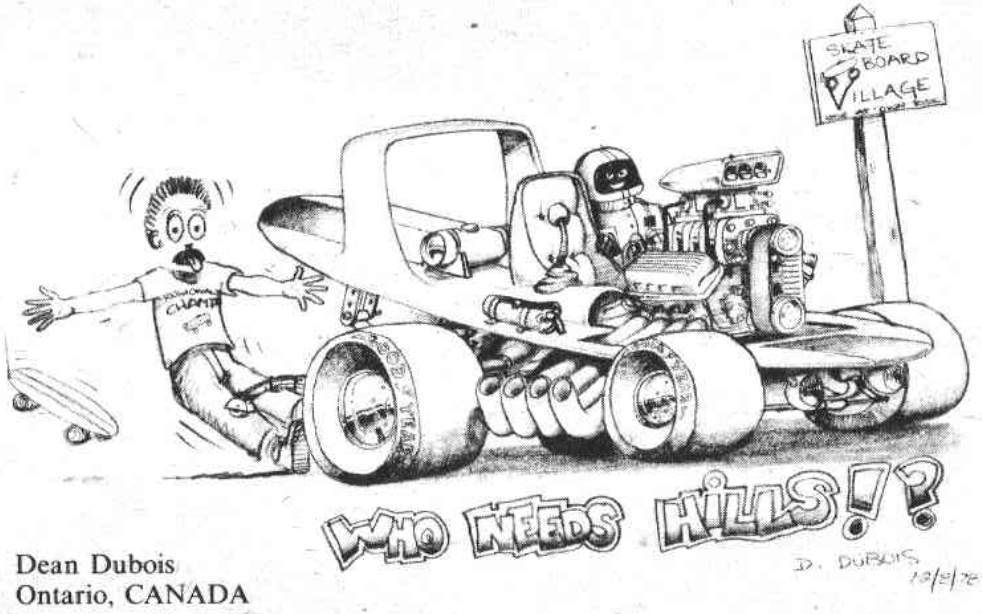

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Andy Magee
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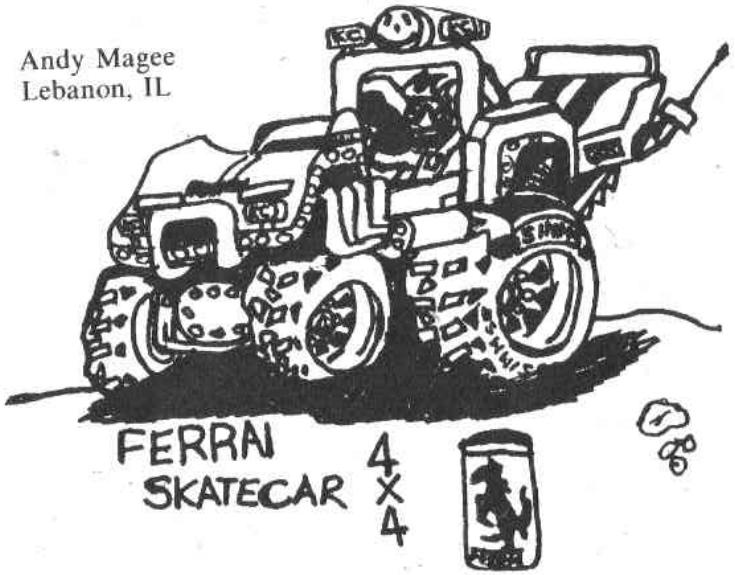

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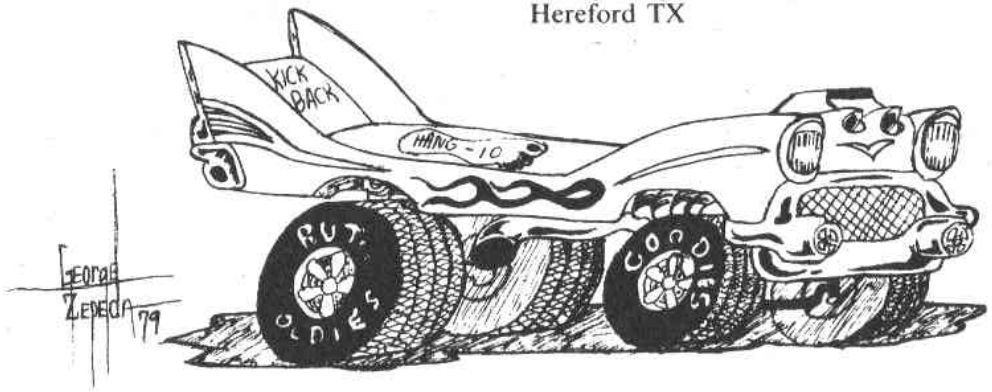
Hereford TX



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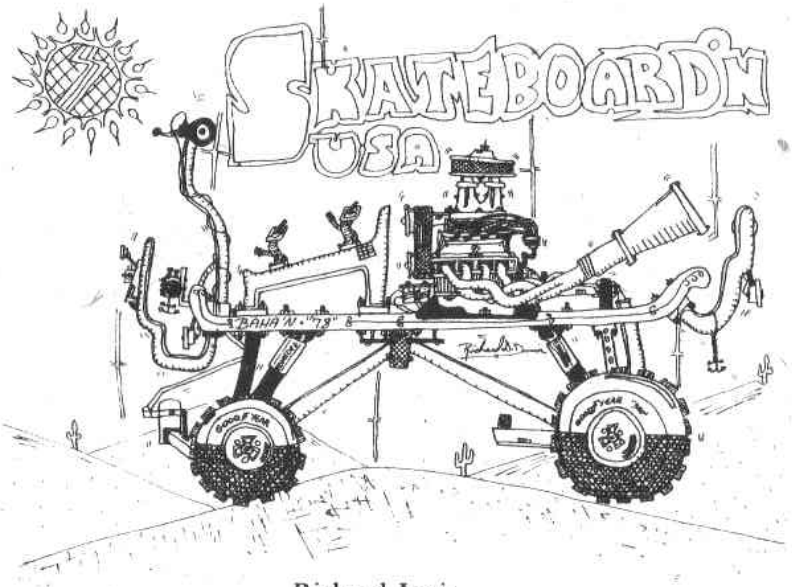

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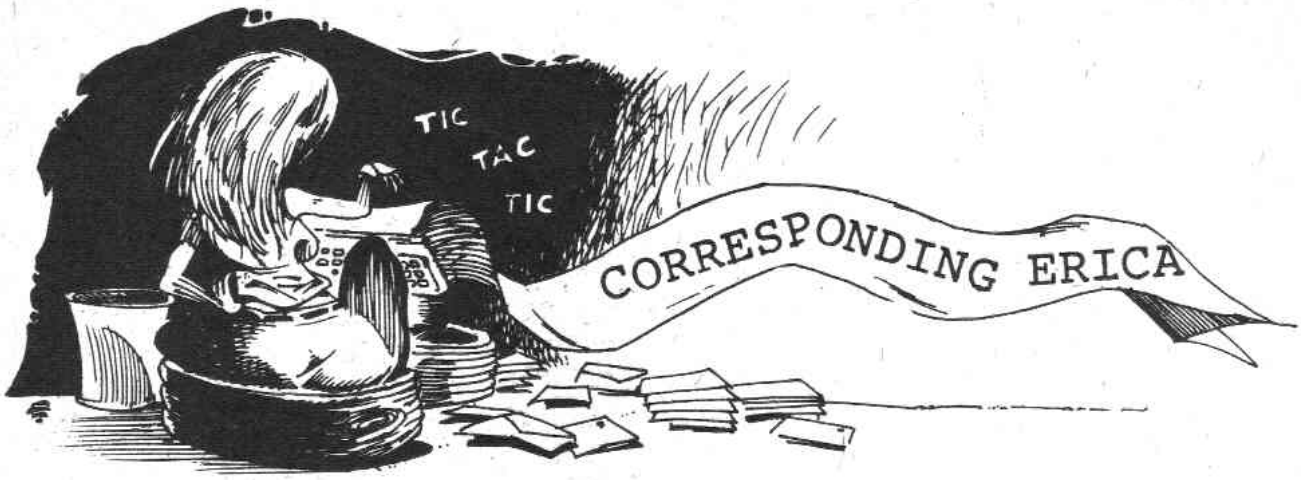


NEED A CONNECTION TO A CORRESPONDENT???
Your Name! Your Address! Your Age! Who you want to Pen To! Your Favorite Set of Wheels! What you Dig! Send it to: Corresponding Erica, 8490 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, 90069 . . .
AND DON'T WRITE US, WRITE THEM.

Jan Sherwood (11)
9433 Bray Road
Clio, Michigan 48420

Digs: Boys, Rock, Old Model Cars, Sports.
Lookin' For: Foxy Boys 11-13

Dave Parks
HHC 3/64 Armor
APO New York, New York 09702

Digs: Motorcycles, Parties, Girls With Long Hair.
Lookin' For: Folks to Write to (Especially Ladies)

Donna Howell (12½)
P.O. Box 46
Neches, Texas 75779

Digs: CW and Rock and Roll, Big 10 Pickups, Fast Cars.
Lookin' For: Guys 12-16

Nancy Hall (15)
2401 Kirkpatrick
Granite City, Illinois 62040

Digs: Music, Sports, Traveling, Animals.
Lookin' For: Pen Pals From All Over

Don Brunk (16)
801 Banfill Avenue
Bonibars, Florida 32425

Digs: Skateboards, Girls, Vans, Horseback Riding, Football.
Lookin' For: Girls 15+

Darrel Messich (13½)
146 Easton Road
Pennsville, New Jersey 08070

Digs: Cars, Cycles, Boats, Waterskiing, Skateboards.
Lookin' For: Girls 13-14

Lee Marcum (15)
1900 Armstrong Drive
Plano, Texas 75074

Digs: Acid Rock, Stock Cars, Funny Cars, HOT ROD.
Lookin' For: Guys

Ed Ramstrom (14)
34 Pheasant Hill Run
West Boylston, Massachusetts 01583

Digs: Girls, Cars, Trucks, Rock and Roll, Skateboards.
Lookin' For: Girls 13-16

Susie Howell (15)
Route 7, Box 41
Lucedale, Mississippi 39452

Digs: Boys, Rock Music, Parties.
Lookin' For: Guys 15-18

Brian Kersey (12)
3804 Chamberlayne Avenue, Apt. 8
Richmond, Virginia 23227

Digs: CB's, Big Rigs, Fishing, Girls, Skateboards.
Lookin' For: Guys 11-13

David Byrnes
P.O. Box 10296
San Antonio, Texas 78210

Digs: Rock and Roll, Parties, Girls, MOPARS.
Lookin' For: Foxy Ladies 17+

Rick Martinez (11-12)
422 Connell Road, O-6
Valdosta, Georgia 31601

Digs: Sport Cars, Vans, Swimming, Skating.
Lookin' For: Girls 11+

Chris Dash
3630 Terry Ridge Road
Ft. Collins, Colorado 80524

Lookin' For: Folks

Lisa Parker (15)
Route 7, Box 38
Lucedale, Mississippi 39452

Digs: Boys, Outdoor Sports, Rock Music, Animals.
Lookin' For: Guys 15-18

Susan Jenkins (16)
"Woodland Rise"
St. Andrews Road
Dinas Powis, S. Glamorgan
South Wales

Digs: Bikes, Cars, Sports, Traveling, Dune Buggies, Rock.
Lookin' For: Fellas 16+

Andrew Jenkins (15)
"Woodland Rise"
St. Andrews Road
Dinas Powis, S. Glamorgan
South Wales

Digs: Bikes, Cars, Skateboarding, Music, Movies.
Lookin' For: Girls 14-15

Brian McInnis (12)
RR 5
Woodville, Ontario
Canada K0M 2T0

Digs: Girls, Big Rigs, Dirt Bikes, 'Vettes, Trans-Ams.
Lookin' For: Girls 11-12

Robert Bret Young (12)
McIntosh Manor O-1
Pocatello, Idaho 83209

Digs: Pizza, Ricky Nelson, Music, 'Vettes, Outdoors.
Lookin' For: People 11-13

Jeff Pruitt (10)
7500 Cosner
Dayton, Ohio 45424

Digs: KISS, Mini Bikes, Football, Girls!
Lookin' For: Girls and Guys 9-11

Les Abeyta (13)
7975 Marshall Circle
Arvada, Colorado 80003

Digs: 'Vettes, Vans, Hard and Easy Rock, Outdoors, Girls.
Lookin' For: Girls 12-15

Truman Archibald (18)
1715 Miles Street
Houston, Texas 77015

Digs: Drag Racing, Street Racing, Motocross, Sprint Car Racing.
Lookin' For: Girls 16-20

Tony Knapp (15)
1243 Academy
Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Digs: Sports of All Kinds, Motocross, Hiking, Cool Cars, Foxy Girls.
Lookin' For: Foxy Girls 14-16

John Harless
1709 North Washington
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Cindy Swagler (13)
8808 Wilson Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21234

Digs: Motorcycles, Trans Ams, Rock and Roll, Movies, Having Fun
Lookin' For: Foxy Guys 12-15

Gerald Archer (11)
1020 Glen Oaks Drive
Fairfield, Alabama 35064

Digs: CB's, Swimming, Rock and Roll, Star Wars, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 11-12 (I need someone to write to!)

Jennie Ginn (12)
21168 Malsbary
P.O. Box 802
Riverdale, California 93656

Digs: Sports, Rock and Roll, Skateboarding, Concerts
Lookin' For: Girls 11-13

Bill Pybus
4815 47-A Avenue
Delta, British Columbia
Canada V4K 1T2

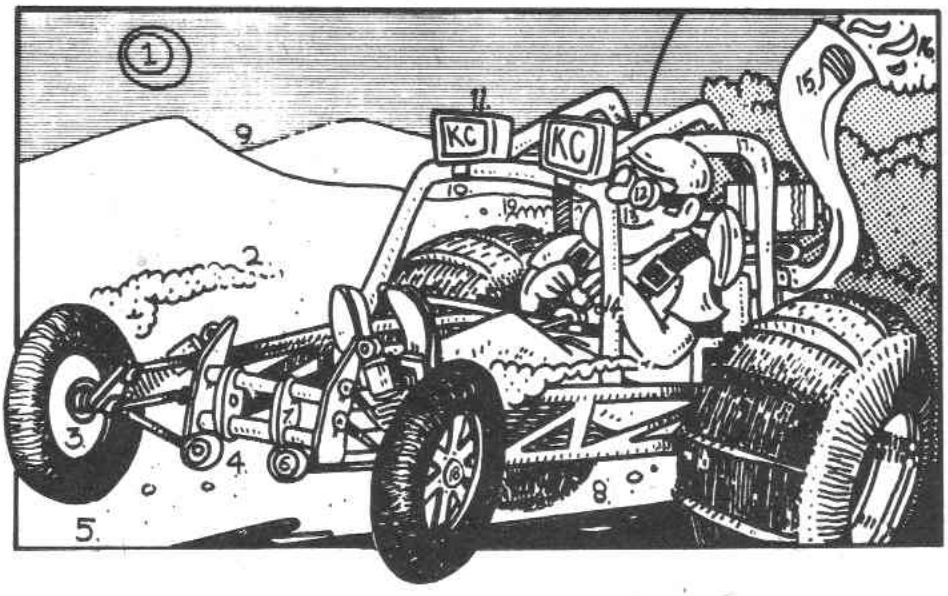
Lookin' For: Carla Joe Smith (Forgot to enclose his address, Carla!)

Robert Dent (13)
P.O. Box 359
Lilbourn, Missouri 63862

Digs: Vettes, Vans, Swimming, Bike Riding, Camping
Lookin' For: Pen Pals

James Major (13)
P.O. Box 168
Lumby, British Columbia
Canada

Digs: Rock and Roll, Farming, Bike Riding, My Brother's Stereo (wow!)
Lookin' For: Girls 13-14



James Daniels (20)
Div. S-2, U.S.S. Midway CV-41
FPO San Francisco, California
96601

Digs: Rock + Roll, Motorcycles, Girls, Pen Pals, Parties
Lookin' For: Someone to Write Me and Vice/Versa

Greg Cox (12)
2822 Laura
Wichita, Kansas 67216

Digs: Rock'n'Roll, Pretty Girls, CB-ing, Swimming, Movies
Lookin' For: Girls 11-13

Yvonne Lyle (14)
65 Hamlet Road
Calgary, Alberta
Canada

Digs: New York City, Rock and Roll, Guys!
Lookin' For: Guys 16 +

Charise K Peca
28927 Manchester
Westland, Missouri 48185

Digs: All Sports, Long Walks, Parties, Acting, TV
Lookin' For: Guys 16+

Don Mohler (23)
R. 4, Reese Road
Shippensburg, Pennsylvania
17257

Digs: Long Bike Runs, Heavy Parties, Dungeons, Adventure
Lookin' For: Ugly Witches 17-27

Doug Sielaff (14)
6777 Southdale Avenue
Boise, Idaho 83705

Digs: Skateboards, Movies, Show Cars, Rock + Roll, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 13-16

Julie Pacheco (12)
10601 N.E. 11th Street
Vancouver, Washington 98664

Digs: Pinball, Guys, Parties, Fleetwood Mac, Rock and Roll
Lookin' For: Guys 12-14

Kerrie Anderson (13)
2504 N.E. 187 Avenue
Vancouver, Washington 98664

Digs: Guys and Swimming
Lookin' For: Guys 13-15

Dana Ryan (12)
830 N.E. 202nd Avenue
Camas, Washington 98607

Digs: Skateboarding, Swimming, Guys, Parties
Lookin' For: Guys 12-14

Marlene Crawford (12)
1610 N.E. 109th Avenue
Vancouver, Washington 98664

Digs: Swimming, Biking, Rock and Roll, Parties, CB-ing
Lookin' For: Guys 12-14

Marcus Johnson (17)
Rt. 1, Box 99
Horse Cave, Kentucky 42749

Digs: Ladies, Custom Autos, Semi's, Tennis, Recording
Lookin' For: Chicks 16-18

Doug Wagner (16)
R.R. 1
Sunderland, Ontario
Canada L0C 1H0

Digs: Partyin', Sports, Fighting, General Enjoyment of Life
Lookin' For: Babes 15+

Steve Dowson (16)
R.R. 4
Sunderland, Ontario
Canada L0C 1H0

Digs: Bikes, Music
Lookin' For: Babes 15+

John Wickstrom (14)
R.R. 5
Carthage, Missouri 64836

Digs: Rock Music, Dune Buggies, SEXY GIRLS, Swimming, Motorcycles
Lookin' For: FEMALES 13-15 or Guys that dig same interests

Mark Sutton (15)
810 South Mound
Pratt, Kansas 67124

Digs: Hard Rock Music
Lookin' For: Anyone who can help start a rock group

Mrs. Alice Hudson (over the hill)
P.O. Box 472
Sultan, Washington 98294

Digs: Very, very old Cars, Cycles, Writing Letters, Food, My Husband
Lookin' For: Anyone for Pen Pals

Beckie Spicer (17)
P.O. Box 254
Pleasant Valley, Iowa 52767

Digs: Motorcycles, Rock Concerts, Partying, Guys
Lookin' For: Partyin' Folks 16+ and/or Guys in the Service

Jim Potter (17)
RD 1, Box 180
Mansfield, Pennsylvania 16933

Digs: Lead Guitar, Rock Concerts, '55-'57 Chevy Nomads, Nice Looking Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 15-17

Terry Partington (14)
921 South Prairie Street
Lake City, Minnesota 55041

Digs: Very Hard Rock, Girls, Anything on Wheels
Lookin' For: Girls 14-15, Hard Rockers 13-15

Doug Kempker (16)
R.R. 6
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Digs: Drivin' Fast Cars, Parties, Girls, Beer, Skateboardin'
Lookin' For: Women 15-18, also my watch (I lost it last week)

Luis Rodrigues (21)
Fernando Leal No. 2-C Pintores
Cd Satelite
Edo. de Mexico
Mexico

Digs: Music, Road Racing, Tennis, Judo, Diving
Lookin' For: Girls 19-25

Fred Ziegler (12½)
28 Sherburne Road
Lexington, Massachusetts 02173

Digs: Cars, Drawing, Animals, Vettes and Vans
Lookin' For: Gals! (My age)

Karolyn Harris (16)
P.O. Box 304
Ione, Washington 99139

Digs: Hot Cars, Vans, Dirt Bikin', Hard Rock, Burnin' Rubber
Lookin' For: Guys 10-19 to correspond with

Jeff Greene (9)
6387 Claremore Lane
San Diego, California 92120

Digs: Bikes, Rock, CARtoons, Baseball, Drawing
Lookin' For: More CARtoons Mags!

Darlene Brown (28)
2225½ Exchange Avenue, Rm. 6
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73108

Digs: Country Music, Fishing, Movies,
Lookin' For: Men 28+

David Harding (20)
P.O. Box 34
S.S. Marie, Michigan 49783

Digs: Women, Hard and Soft Music, Cars (Dodge Chargers!)
Lookin' For: Women 17-21

Robert Wayland (15)
R.R. 2
Marissa, Illinois 62254

Digs: Motorcycles, Hard Rock, Girls, Football, Swimming
Lookin' For: Girls 12-15

Sandy Azure (12)
P.O. Box 164
Belcourt, North Dakota 58316

Digs: Cobra II's, Basketball, Swimming, Biking, TV
Lookin' For: Boys and Girls 12-18

William McCray
Defiance College 218-N
Box 251
Defiance, Ohio 43512

Digs: BMW's, Bradely's, Rock Music, Camping, Sports
Lookin' For: Contacts outside of Defiance! Girls 18-25

Brad Boyle (13½)
25 Campbell Crescent S.E.
Medicine Hat, Alberta
Canada T1B 1J7

Digs: Cars and BIG RIGS, Rock-n-Roll Music, Nature, Camping, Animals
Lookin' For: Boys or Girls 12-14

Denise Miller (15)
2651 River Road
Hillsboro, Oregon 97123

Digs: Skiing, Horseback Riding, Dirt Bike Riding, Music, Parties
Lookin' For: Guys between 15 and 19

Lisa Miller (14)
2651 South East River Road
Hillsboro, Oregon 97123

Digs: Rock Music, Guys, Motorcycles, Swimming, Sun Bathing
Lookin' For: Guys 14-18

Hey gang! We had a rather nifty idea the other day. If you'd like, when you send in your name and address to me, why not send a photo of yourself? Sound good? Be sure it's a good clear black and white shot that shows you at your sterling best. Sorry, but we will not be able to return the pictures. Same address.

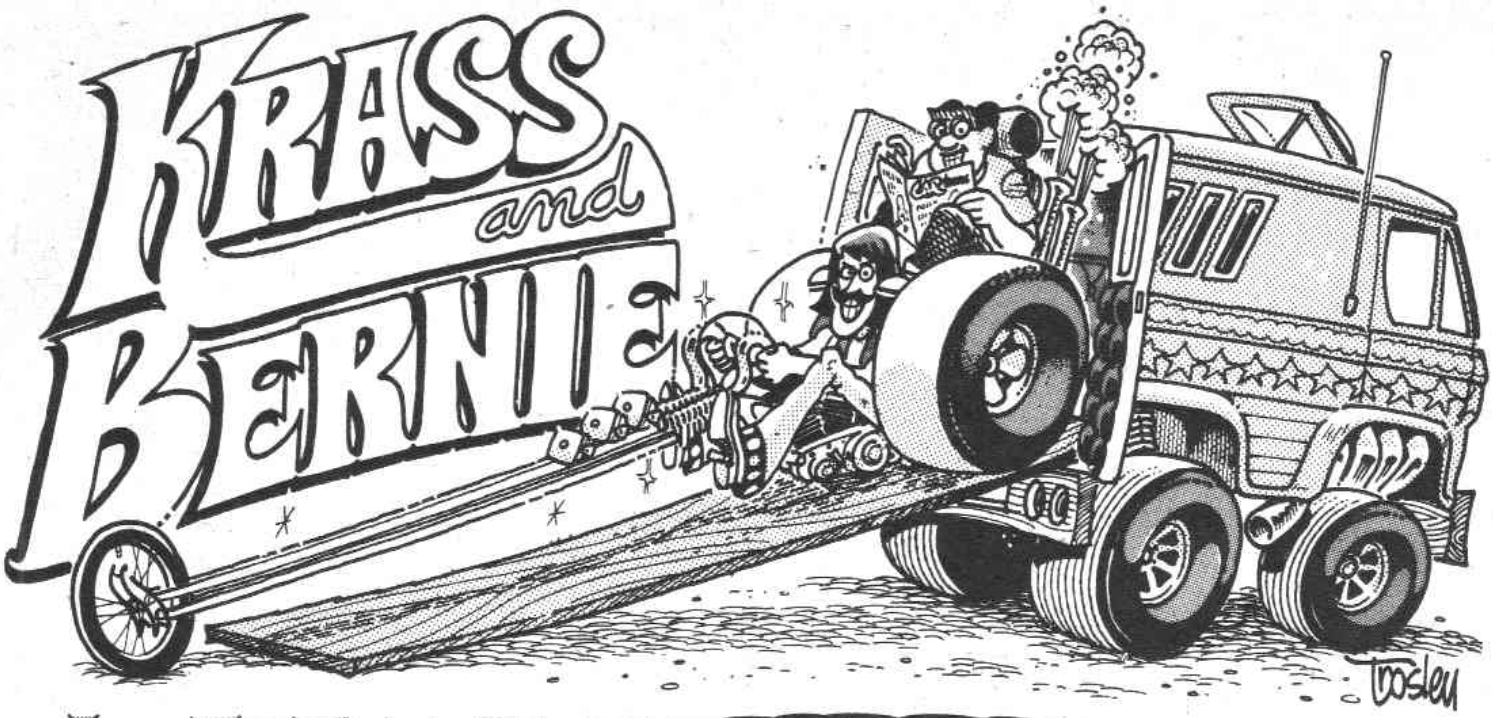
Erica

A FEW WORDS ABOUT CONTESTS

The recent input of mail on the skateboard and cartoon caption contests has been, to say the least, great. We had plans of running the winners in this issue, but it appears that we will be running more winners on these two in the next issue. It is wonderful to know that so many of you out there are so involved with our efforts, and we do look at every entry in every contest. We shall continue to do our best to bring you new and fun contests. Hang in there!

STORY & ART by FRANK HOLDSWORTH
DOUBLE EXPOSED
IT SURE WAS NICE OF THE CHIEF TO GIVE US THIS NEAT LOCATION SHOOTING ASSIGNMENT.
YEH, WE FINALLY GET A CHANCE TO DO OUR THING WITHOUT BEIN' CONFINED TO A STUDIO...
AND LOOK AT ALL THIS BEYOOTIFUL SCENERY! PULL OVER THERE.
MMMPH! THIS DUDE SURE IS HEAVY!
NGH! THAT'S FER SURE! GASP
NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL A BEAR!
JACK'S RENTA
CLIK
BEFORE WE START SHOOTIN', LET'S GET SOME EATS OUT OF THE BASKET...
YEH, I'M STARVED! I'M SURE THE BEAR WILL BE OKAY HERE.
MEANWHILE...
HMMM?

GET OFF MY TURF CLYDE!
WAP!
I FEEL A LOT BETTER NOW! LET'S GET ON WITH THE SESSION.
RIGHT ON! THAT BEAR WILL REALLY MAKE THIS OUR BEST ONE YET!
CLICK! CLICK!
HEY! I DON'T REMEMBER HIM IN THAT POSE...
ALL THIS FRESH AIR HAS STARTED PLAYIN' TRICKS ON YER MIND!...
CLICK!
CLICK!
CLICK!
CLICK!
WALD!
GET GOIN'!
VAROOOM
I SEND YOU TWO OUT ON A SIMPLE ASSIGNMENT AN' WHAT HAPPENS? SOME 'ANONYMOUS FREELANCER' SENDS IN THESE BEAUTIES...!
EH?
EDITOR
The End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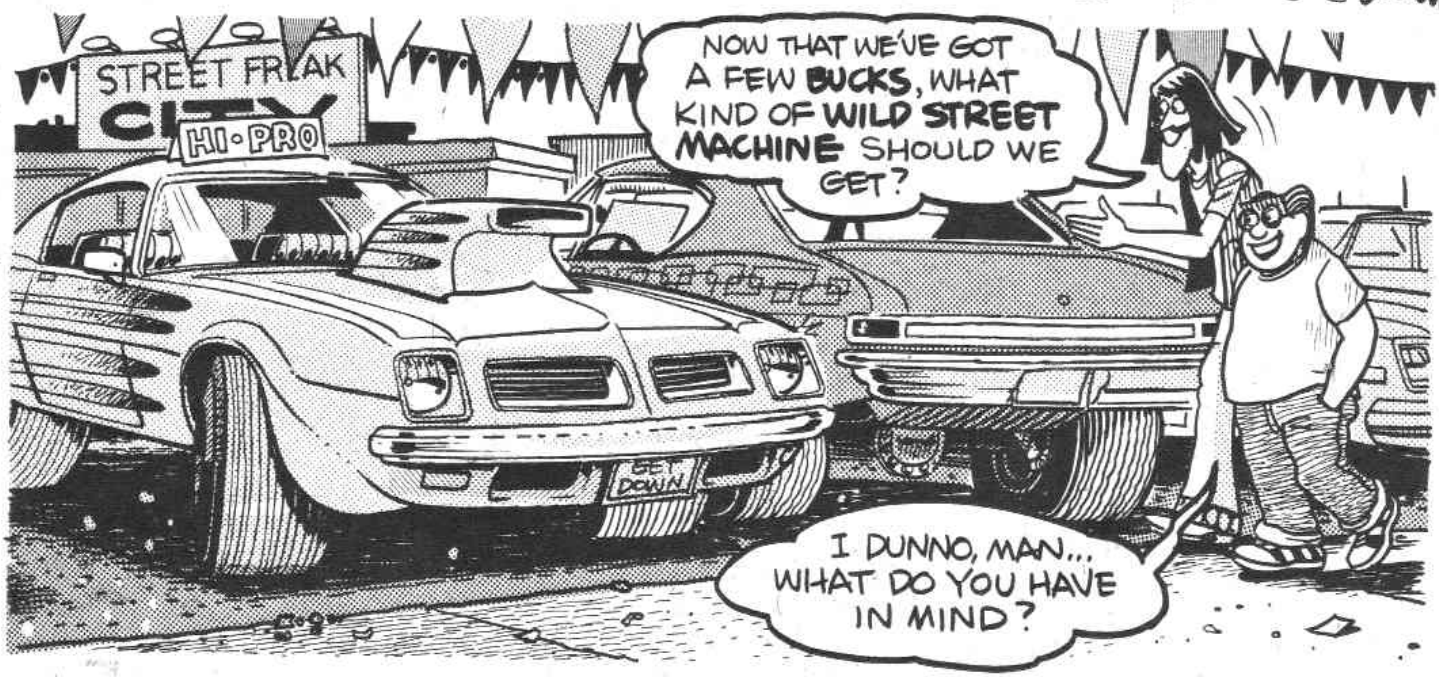
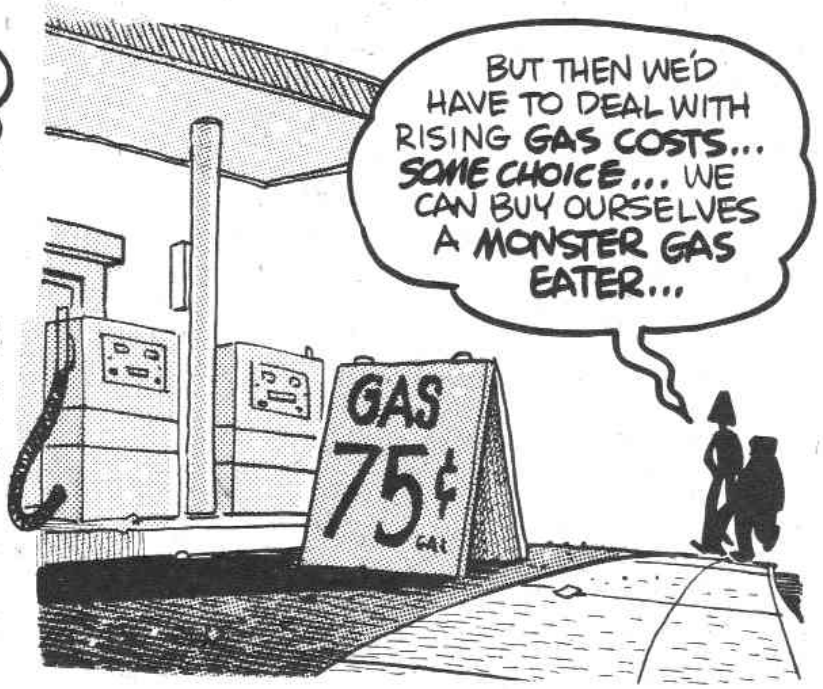
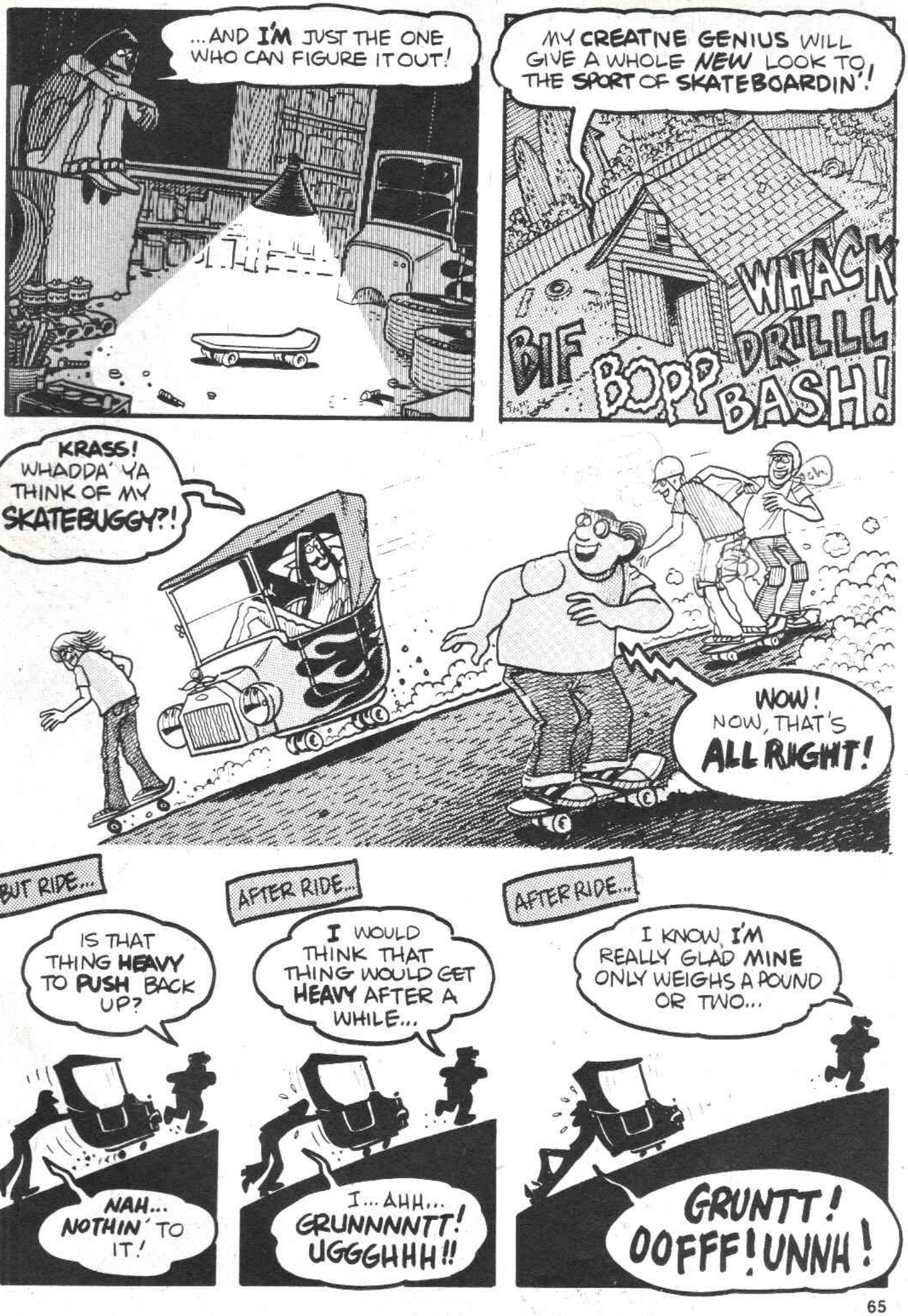

STREET FREAK CITY
HI-PRO
SET DOWN
NOW THAT WE'VE GOT A FEW BUCKS, WHAT KIND OF WILD STREET MACHINE SHOULD WE GET?
I DUNNO, MAN... WHAT DO YOU HAVE IN MIND?

...A BIG MOTOR MUSCLE CAR THAT'LL STOMP ANYTHING ON THE STREET?
YEA...


BUT THEN WE'D HAVE TO DEAL WITH RISING GAS COSTS... SOME CHOICE... WE CAN BUY OURSELVES A MONSTER GAS EATER...
GAS 75¢

OR...
SKATEBOARD SALE!
GO!
SKATEBOARD SALE!
THIS IS REALLY FUN, EH BERN!?
YEA... 'CEPT FOR ALL THE DUST AND CINDERS!
WATCH OUT BERN!
... AND THE TRASH AND LITTER EVERYWHERE!
YAAAA!
TRIP!
BERNIE... ARE YOU OKAY?
MAN... THIS IS DANGEROUS!
THERE'S GOT TO BE A BETTER WAY TO DO IT!
MUSTA' HIT HIS HEAD...


...AND I'M JUST THE ONE WHO CAN FIGURE IT OUT!
MY CREATIVE GENIUS WILL GIVE A WHOLE NEW LOOK TO THE SPORT OF SKATEBOARDIN'!
WHACK
BIF
BOPP
DRILLL
BASH!
KRASS! WHADDA' YA THINK OF MY SKATEBUGGY?!
WOW! NOW, THAT'S ALL RIGHT!
BUT RIDE...
IS THAT THING HEAVY TO PUSH BACK UP?
NAH... NOTHIN' TO IT!
AFTER RIDE...
I WOULD THINK THAT THING WOULD GET HEAVY AFTER A WHILE...
I... AHH... GRUNNNNTT! UGGGHHH!!
AFTER RIDE...
I KNOW, I'M REALLY GLAD MINE ONLY WEIGHS A POUND OR TWO...
GRUNTT! OOFFF! UNNH!

HEY BERN... I'LL BET PUSHING THAT THING IS ALOT OF WORK!
YEA... IT IS!
Y'KNOW YOU OUGHT TO PUT AN ENGINE IN IT!
SAYYY... THAT'S A GREAT IDEA!
THERE'S A FEW OTHER THINGS I'D LIKE TO ADD TOO!
HA
HEE HO HA HEEE
BANG
BAP WAK
BDP
NEXT DAY...
HEY KRASS... WILL BERN BE OUT ON THE HILL WITH HIS SKATEBUGGY TODAY?
YEA...
$ $ $
GLUG -GLUG
AS SOON AS HE FILLS IT UP!
THE END

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CARTOONOGRAPHY

Susie
Plesko

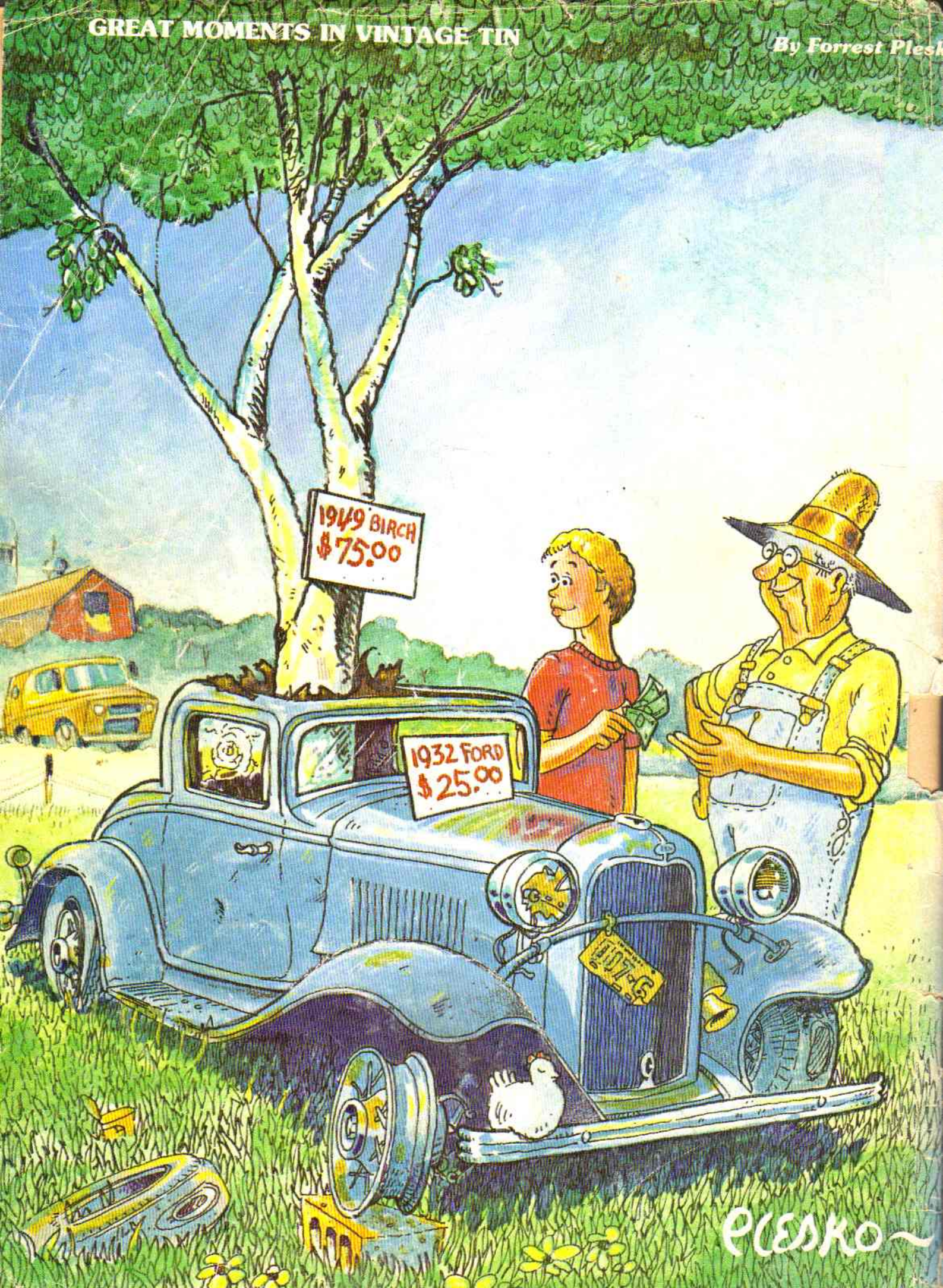
English was my favorite subject in school, so naturally I decided to become an English teacher. I was especially attracted to the three-month vacation every summer, and the idea of being in command of 30 or so people most of whom were smaller than I. So, after earning my Bachelor's degree, my Teaching Credential, and my Master's degree at California State University at Long Beach, I taught Remedial English, part-time, at Compton College for a year, and then moved back to Superior, Wisconsin where I was born, and worked as a substitute teacher for grades 7 through 12 for a year. After regaining my sanity through a combination of self-hypnosis and Primal Scream Therapy, I carefully weighed the pros and cons of teaching. It was at that point that I decided to become a writer. Of course I had plenty of confidence, having received an Honorable Mention from the Superior chapter of the Women's Christian Temperance Union for a poem of epic proportions written on the evils of alcohol when I was an eighth grader.

I am the oldest of six children (three girls and three boys), and so have always been urged to set a "good example" for my sisters and brothers. This is why I now drive a Porsche, and have a super-marriage to Forrest. We met in high school, but never had a date until four years after graduation. Actually, it took me that long to work up enough nerve to ask him out. We don't have any kids, so consequently we enjoy a carefree, if somewhat bizarre, lifestyle. As a result, we've traveled all over the country, and have plans for a trip to Europe, and later, perhaps, to Venus.

When I'm not thinking up puzzles and games for *CARtoons* or writing stories or articles for other magazines, I enjoy taking ballet classes, jogging, and exercising. This is very lucky for me, because I compulsively pig out on Mexican food, Italian food, Chinese food, Japanese food, Junk food, and occasionally even American food. I could be an extremely obese person if I tried even a little. I love watching the Gong Show, Saturday Night Live, Soap, and any show with Steve Martin on it, but when the radio is on I usually sing (scream) along to the Eagles, Meatloaf, Fleetwood Mac, Heart, Foreigner and the Rolling Stones. I dance around sometimes, too. I've got music in my soles. Reading is another of my favorite pastimes. I've always been very good at it. Soon, I will write a novel, and become very rich and famous. Then, I can finally buy my Mother the mink coat and Cadillac I promised her when I was six years old.

GREAT MOMENTS IN VINTAGE TIN

By Forrest Plesk



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